WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over this Province and unsettled weather prevails on the Coast. Fine, moderately cold weather continues in the Prairies.

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DAY LABOR TO BE USED ON HIGHWAY

Hon. W. H. Sutherland Makes Statement on West Coast Road—Opposition Criticizes Borrowings

MOTORISTS PRESS FOR BETTER ROADS

Return Shows Loan Total Has Aggregated $59,000,000 Since 1917 — Asks $8,600,000 More

INSISTING that the Minister of Public Works reveal the purposes to which the loan of $4,660,000 was to be put before giving the Government a blank cheque to spend that amount, the Conservative Opposition yesterday almost defeated the Government on a motion of Colonel Peck to adjourn the debate on the second reading.

In the course of his explanation of work, Hon. W. H. Sutherland offered the information that in the carrying out of the West Coast road on Vancouver Island machinery was being procured, and that the work would be done by day labor almost altogether.

The loan bill was debated for several hours during the afternoon. The Opposition, led in the attack by Mr. W. A. McKenzie, contended that it was entitled to know what was to be done with the money. It was pointed out that not only was there a loan bill for another $4,000,000 before the Legislature for the P.G.E., but in addition to this $4,600,000 for public works of various kinds, there was also an unexpended surplus supplied from the loan of the year before of something like $1,500,000, and also estimates provided for which would be largely devoted to roads and bridges aggregating the sum of about $2,400,000.

QUESTION OF PRINCIPLE

Mr. McKenzie and other speakers on the Opposition side, took the position that they were not wanting to hold up any roads that were needed. They, however, felt that it was a duty owing to them for the Ministers to explain how the money was to be spent. It was pointed out that additional reason for this was found in the fact that this was likely to be an election year, and it was a bad policy from the public standpoint to give the Government a large blank cheque to be expended wherever it saw fit in an effort to gain votes.

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VILLAGE ISOLATED BY HUGE DRIFTS

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., March 12.—A rescue party which set out yesterday from Goetzville for the village of Detour, isolated by snowdrifts and suffering from a food shortage, reached the village this afternoon, bearing mail for the residents.

Plane Crashes

HARRISMITH, S.A., March 12.—An airplane piloted by Captain Dewhirst and carrying Dr. Joubert, a physician, as passenger, crashed here today. Both men were killed.

What P.G.E. Loan Bill Proposes

THE P.G.E. Construction Loan Act, 1928, which is now before the Legislature, provides for the borrowing or raising from time to time any sum or sums of money not exceeding the net sum of $4,000,000, after payment of brokerage discount, etc. The raising of the money is allowed to be by the sale of debentures, or treasury bills or notes, or by the issue and sale of British Columbia stock under the provisions of the Inscribed Stock Act.

It is provided in the bill that the moneys shall be applied to the construction, reconstruction, equipment, maintenance and operation of the line of railway in such manner as shall be directed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

For the purposes of repayment the P.G.E. Railway Company shall pay interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, reckoned semi-annually, and shall be compounded in case of default.

NEW CATHEDRAL DRIVE BEGINS

Appeal Will Be Made to Business Interests to Finance Completion of Nave—Objective Is $100,000

ORGANIZERS LEARN $28,179 RAISED

The sum of $28,179 already subscribed to the appeal for $100,000 to complete the nave of the new Christ Church Cathedral, reducing the balance needed to $71,821, was the encouraging report given by the Bishop of Columbia at last evening's meeting in the Memorial Hall gymnasium, when a large body of men were organized into teams to solicit the support of citizens in the downtown section of Victoria.

Mr. J. E. Wilson, chairman of the committee for completing the nave, stated that subscriptions had been received from rich and poor alike. "We shall reach our objective, if everyone in favor of finishing the nave will take his share," he said, adding that in the present appeal the time-payment plan of making contributions would be offered to all who desired to use it.

Several speakers followed with reasons why they felt the effort deserved to be supported. The educational value of the cathedral to young people in encouraging a study of art and architecture, was mentioned by Archdeacon Laycock.

What the church was constantly doing for business in establishing a broad basis of justice and trustworthiness through the teaching of Christianity, was brought forward by the Dean as one reason why business men might aid the erection of the cathedral. "Build the cathedral to save your own souls," was the Dean's second reason. "The new cathedral, by its outstanding character and loftiness, will help us all to keep our ideals high and fresh. It will remind us that men cannot live by bread alone," he said.

"In making such strenuous efforts to build the cathedral," the Bishop declared, "our purpose is not one of competition in any form. For the advancement of the whole cause of religion, we are taking the opportunity we have on our wonderful site of building a cathedral that will bear witness to the crowning purpose of God over all life."

Others who spoke were Mr. E. H. Bird, vice-chairman of the committee; Mr John Wood, and Mr. A. R. Merrix, secretary. Mr. Lindley Crease moved a vote of thanks to the ladies of the Cathedral Women's Guild, who provided the supper that opened the evening gathering.

SEATTLE GOES TO POLLS TODAY

Record Vote Expected in Election of Mayor—Last Minute Barrage Fired by Radio

SEATTLE, March 12.—Mayor Bertha Landes and her opponent, Frank Edwards, retired theatre owner, wound up their mayoralty campaigns today with downtown mass meetings, while shock troops of their campaign forces went on the air over practically all the radio stations here in a frenzied barrage which they hoped would bring hesitant voters into their respective camps. All records for Seattle were broken when 94,000 votes were cast in the primary two weeks ago. A still larger vote was anticipated for tomorrow when Mrs. Landes will know whether her record of two years in the mayor's chair was successful enough to induce Seattle citizens to re-elect her.

New Silver Coins Issued in Britain Found Fault With

LONDON, Eng., March 12. — A new issue of silver coinage, which the Mint started making today, brought adverse criticism from several banks on the ground that its intrinsic value was inferior to that of existing silver coins. Because of this criticism it is believed the Treasury will put only a small amount into circulation, increasing it gradually in the hope of overcoming objections. Some of the new silver was circulating today.

DEPLETION ALLOWANCE IS ASSAILED

Mr. Pooley Declares Effect of Timber Taxation, Opposed by Lumber Interests, Will Be Oppressive

MR. JONES SHOWS EFFECT ON TRADE

Mr. Wallinger Speaks for Mining Interests With Regard to Deprivation of Outside Capital

IN discussing the taxation bill on the second reading last night in the Legislature, the criticism was offered that the Premier himself did not appear to have a clear idea as to the character and the operation of the measure. Mr. R. H. Pooley attacked the timber plan of the bill, but admitted that the fact that the introduction of it at such a late date, towards the close of the session, left no chance to gain anything like a perfect idea of the working of it.

He, however, criticized the principle of the bill, which, he said, sought to do indirectly what was declared in law as wrong to do directly. It sought to collect from the owner while this was impossible, and the collection had to be made off the logger.

DECLARED PROBLEM

Mr. Pooley said he was very little enlightened by the remarks of the Premier on this bill when he offered to explain it. It was calculated to confuse half a dozen of the proverbial Philadelphia lawyers. He had with study, and the aid of others, commenced to see light on the bill.

In trying to collect the unearned increment tax an attempt was made to collect from the owner that lived outside the province. The attempt was made to do indirectly what was forbidden to do directly. It was therefore against the rules of law.

The principle of the bill was wrong, he said. The incidence of the tax would fall on the logging operator. The real motive was that the operator should collect from the outside owner. It would not stand, therefore.

The Government was getting its money by royalty. Having arranged a code with these people, was it fair to turn around and tax them in another way? If they were to expect the timber industry to go ahead there must be stability.

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ALBERTA WELL HAS BIG FLOW

DALHOUSIE BURSTS FORTH INTO RIVAL OF CELEBRATED ROYALITE NO. 4

Enormous Quantities of Gas and Oil Shot Out—Flow Estimated at 15,000,000 Feet

CALGARY, March 12.—Bursting out with a flow of gas which, in the opinion of operators will make the well a rival of the celebrated Royalite No. 4, Dalhousie No. 1 well came suddenly back into production on Monday afternoon after being frozen off since it first came in at the end of February.

The tools which were caught in the hole when the well froze, immediately loosened, and feverish efforts were made by the crew to recover them. This was safely accomplished late this evening, the crew working desperately while drenched with the oil that flew up in the derrick. J. H. McLeod, manager for Imperial Oils, informed the Albertan that enormous quantities of oil were shot out of the well with the removal of the last rods, sprinkling everybody around. "You can say that it is a wonderful well," he said. The flow was measured, and Mr. McLeod announced that it would give 15,000,000 cubic feet of wet gas per day.

CELEBRATED FLYER KILLED IN STUNT

MELBOURNE, Aus., March 12.—Flight-Lieutenant Ivor McIntyre was killed while airplane stunting here today. Lieutenant McIntyre flew around Australia in 1924 with Airman Goble, covering 8,500 miles in ninety flying hours. He also piloted Airman Williams in a long flight between Australia and some of the Pacific Islands.

New Zealand Defers Tunnel Construction

VANCOUVER, March 12.—Contract for construction of a large tunnel on the New Zealand Government Railway line between Auckland and Wellington has not been awarded, according to word received by the Northern Construction Co., Ltd., and J. W. Stewart offices here. The Northern Construction Co entered a tender for the work and General J. W. Stewart, C. V. Cummings and Wm. Smaill, members of the firm, went to New Zealand in connection with the bid.

Work on the proposed tunnel has been deferred indefinitely, the cable explains, and the Vancouver party will return to British Columbia immediately.

Eminent in Law Courts

AT the left is Viscount Cave, seventy-two-year-old Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, whose resignation on account of poor health is considered likely. He is being attended by the King's physician. Centre is Sir Douglas Hogg, Attorney-General, who would be regarded as the logical successor to the Woolsack were if not for the opinion that he is too valuable a Parliamentarian to be spared by the Government. Right is Earl Birkenhead, a previous Lord Chancellor, whose willingness to resume the post is reported.

Local Boards Proposed To Take Over Control of Trades Licence Problem

AUTHORITY to deal with retail trading is planned in a measure presented to the Legislature yesterday, which would give absolute power to a board set up under the proposed statute to control trades licences in municipalities. By Government action a commissioner could also be appointed for unorganized areas.

Particular stress is laid upon the operations of premises where food and food products are sold in any form.

It is proposed to set up a board of three members, one of whom shall be the mayor or reeve of the municipal area, and two others, one named by the Government and the other by the municipal council, who shall hold office for three years, except when the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council removes the government representative, or the municipal council by a two-thirds vote displaces its representative.

Power is given to call the organization into being by order-in-council, on written application of any municipality, and thereupon all trades licence administration would be transferred to the board under procedure defined by rules and regulations of the executive council.

Section six of the bill, as introduced by General Odlum, shows how thoroughly the measure is proposed to operate. The clause says:

"The board may refuse to issue, continue, transfer or renew a licence to do business to any person, firm or corporation if in the opinion of the board it be not advisable in the public interests of the municipality for which it functions to do so, having in view:

"(a) The better regulation, distribution or zoning in such municipality of the class of business concerned, and the area or street upon which such business is intended to be done or is being done:

"(b) The condition and keeping of the premises in or upon which such business is to be done or is being done:

"(c) The nature of the merchandise or food products or produce kept or to be kept, handled or offered for sale in such premises:

"(d) The source of supply, or the manner of production or preparation or handling of such merchandise or food products or produce from a health or sanitary standpoint:

"(e) The character or physical condition of the applicant for or holder of the licence in question as regards fitness for the nature of the business involved from a health or sanitary standpoint:

"(f) Inability to keep, or persistent failure to keep, proper books accounting for sales made or to be made in connection with such business."

McRae Policy Supported by Conservatives

OTTAWA, March 12.—Proposals by General A. D. McRae, Conservative, Vancouver North, to double the population of the Prairie provinces in ten years, may be discussed before the special committee of the House conducting the immigration inquiry. The suggestion made in Friday's discussion on the budget are the subjects of considerable gossip in parliamentary corridors. In Conservative circles the proposals to add 2,000,000 immigrants to the farming population of the west are viewed favorably. The policy advocated by General McRae is very extensive and includes the suggested development of the Peace River district as a great imperial settlement on a co-operative basis between the Dominion, the British Government, and the Provinces of British Columbia and Alberta. Settlement of light timbered lands, unoccupied lands adjacent to railways and lands easily drained, also form part of General McRae's proposals.

FREE MEDICAL SERVICE ASKED

REPRESENTATIVES OF LEGION APPEAR BEFORE PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE

Provision Requested for Indigent Ex-Service Men Whether Pensioners or Not

OTTAWA, March 12.—A request that free medical treatment be provided for all pensioners of seventy-five per cent disability or over, was submitted today by the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League representatives before the special parliamentary committee on pensions and returned soldier problems.

That the Federal Government should undertake the responsibility of caring for all indigent ex-service men who through chronic illness or other causes were unable to look after themselves, was another request of the Legion.

E. H. Scammell, officer of the department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment was asked to make a study of soldiers' homes, craft shops and similar institutions in foreign countries and report to the commission.

Woman Nominated For Head of State

BUENOS AIRES, March 12.—For the first time in the history of Argentina, a woman has been designated for the presidency. The party of Communists and Workers named Angelica Mendoza as the Communist candidate in the presidential elections.

MAN AND PLANE DIVE INTO SEA

Neither Seen Again—Tragic Attempt to Make Speed Record With 300-Mile--Per-Hour Machine

NO TRACE FOUND DESPITE SEARCH

SOUTHAMPTON, March 12. — The Royal Air Force's long-prepared attempt to establish a new world speed record ended tragically this afternoon with the death of Flight-Lieutenant S. M. Kinkead, member of the victorious British Schneider Cup team last year, and the destruction of his "wonder plane," in which he hoped to exceed 300 miles an hour. Ten minutes after Lieutenant Kinkead's super-marine Napier S-5 rose from the water for a record attempt, the plane dropped almost perpendicularly from 400 feet, nose foremost into the sea.

Neither the machine nor the pilot were seen again. Despite a thorough search by motor craft, no trace of either was found.

Kinkead brought his powerful seaplane to the Calshot base last week for a speed trial. On Saturday he made his first determined effort, but while taxiing for the rise, the engine stopped dead.

APPALLING IMPACT

This afternoon he made a trial flight, alighting on the water and then re-ascending, flying towards the Isle of Wight. A few watchers on the jetty saw his plane, without warning, plunge into the sea. Immediately launches were sent out and searched the spot and an ambulance was brought to the water's edge. But at nightfall nothing was found and officers of the Royal Air Force announced that their colleague had perished. They pointed out that Kinkead, strapped tightly in, had no chance to extricate himself, and the plane, striking the water with appalling velocity, was probably completely smashed.

Kinkead's machine was the same type as that in which his fellow officer, Lieutenant Webster, won the Schneider Cup.

LUNCHEON GIVEN TO CAPTAIN CAMPBELL

LONDON, March 12—High tribute was paid to Captain Malcolm Campbell for the recent world auto speed record he set at Daytona, Fla., at a luncheon given today in celebration of that feat. Captain Campbell won the gold trophy offered by Sir Charles Wakefield. Numerous notables attended including Sir Wm. Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary; A. B. Houghton, the United States Ambassador, and Major Seagrave, former holder of the record.

HALF A MILL SLASHED OFF ESTIMATES

Estimates Committee of City Council Holds Session That Has Every Appearance of an Auction

ECONOMISTS WIN SECOND ROUND

Succeed in Lopping Off $36,941 of Annual Estimates — Public Works Suffers Heavily

THE City Council's session in estimates last night took on the aspect of an auction more than anything else and the result was that the money votes of the public works department were cut by $29,028, with only half of them dealt with. All told the council slashed estimated expenditures by $36,941, which is representative of half a mill on the dollar. Prior to the meeting the Mayor learned that the Provincial Government had finally decided to make the provincial scheme of superannuation to municipalities compulsory, so that the council will be faced with this issue before it can finally strike the mill rate. The total reduction made in estimates to date amounts to $37,226.

The council first dealt with the lands department's estimates. A total reduction of $3,050 was made in this department's estimates. The vote of $5,000 for advertising purposes was cut to $2,000. Out of this amount will come a $500 donation to a real estate convention to be held here, expenses for an exhibit in the Home Products Fair and newspaper and other advertising. The station expenses of the department were cut another $50.

Cuts amounting to $373 in all were made in the public market's estimates. Three hundred dollars was cut off the vote for completion of the wiring system. Only part of the work will be carried out this year.

CUTTING BEGINS

The first cut to be made in the public works department estimates was $25 taken off a $150 vote for blue prints. The next item to come under debate was an appropriation of $32,000 for labor, material and hauling in connection with repairs to macadam trails. A strong fight was put up by the economists to have this amount reduced to $30,000, but their fight failed. City Engineer Preston said that if this reduction was made he would have to ask the council to recommend what employees should be discharged.

When asked for a detailed account of the work proposed with this $32,000, the engineer referred the council to a report he had given to the comptroller. This report did not contain the names of street and work proposed, but the engineer informed the council that he could not prophesy what roads would have holes in them during the next nine months. There were twenty-five miles of macadam road in the city.

Alderman Dewar said that $60,000 could be spent on these roads and then it would be found the amount was insufficient.

A vote of $15,000 for new macadam trail was cut down to $10,000. The engineer had previously said he would rather see the expenditures for new work cut than the $32,000 vote reduced. Three hundred dollars was lopped off the $500 appropriation for sea walls work and $50 off the $300 vote for removing poles.

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CITY MANAGER IS CONSIDERED

CIVIC SERVICE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS COMPTROLLER D. A. MacDONALD

Maximum and Minimum Salary Schedule for Employees Presented to Council

Appointment of City Comptroller D. A. MacDonald to the position of city manager, with an extra $500 per annum added to his salaries for additional duties that would be brought about by such an appointment, is the recommendation contained in the civic service committee's report tabled at last night's meeting of the City Council.

The report also dealt with maximum and minimum salaries for civic employees. All these matters will be gone into during the consideration of salaries in estimates committee.

The committee also recommends increases in salary for twenty employees of the city. In many cases the maximum salary set in the schedule in the report has been reached by employees.

In recommending that Mr. MacDonald be made city manager, the committee designated his work as to supervise all departments as to finances, conduct of officers, method of administration, to carry out investigations into any department, and into the conduct of any officer, and report back to the council.

Car Kills Child

VANCOUVER, March 12.—Ivor McKay, eight-year-old son of J. L. McKay, 4591 Blenheim Street, was almost instantly killed this evening when he was struck by an automobile driven by Abe Wosk, who was arrested on a charge of manslaughter.

Ottawa Leaders Speak Today Before Taking Of Votes Upon Budget

Mr. Bennett Will Have Floor When Debate Is Resumed This Afternoon—Premier King Follows—Progressive Amendment Will Be First to Be Submitted

Closest Voting Is Expected When Main Budget Motion Is Presented

OTTAWA, March 12.—Tomorrow Premier King and Hon. R. B. Bennett, opposition leader, will conclude the budget debate. One hundred and twenty speeches have been made so far. At the close the House is scheduled to divide three times, first on the Progressive subamendment, then on the Conservative amendment, and finally on the main budget motion.

There have been long House debates before in recent years but none with so many speakers. While shortening speeches, some effect of the new forty minute limit has been to increase the number of members taking part in the debate.

Both the subamendment and the amendment, will, it is expected, be defeated by substantial majorities. The closest voting will come on the main budget motion. In Liberal circles tonight it is predicted that the Government should have a majority on the main motion of between fifteen and twenty.

Mr. Bennett will have the floor when debate is resumed tomorrow afternoon.

Great Britain Plans Weekly India Air Mail

LONDON, March 12.—The British Government is planning to start the biggest civil air route in the world this year with a weekly mail service to India, taking letters to Delhi in seven days and Calcutta in nine.

Announcement of the Government's plan was made by Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for Air.

Residents Flee From Danger of New Landslide

SANTOS, Brazil, March 12.—While rescue parties dug at the huge mass of debris deposited by Saturday's slide, residents of other adjacent sections of the city fled from the menace of Mount Serrat.

Two thousand workers now are engaged in the almost futile task of clearing the wreckage of cottages and huts and the great Publica Hospital. Up to noon today seventy-two bodies had been recovered, of which twenty-three were those of children.

SCHOOL BY-LAW IS QUESTIONED

ALD. MARA BELIEVES GOVERNMENT HAS MADE NO APPROPRIATION

Ald. Marchant Says Time Has Arrived to Put a Halt to Additional Burdens

The question was raised at last night's meeting of the City Council whether the Provincial Government had made the necessary appropriation toward the cost of building and equipping the Technical High School. This point was brought up by Alderman Mara after a letter was read from the School Board asking that a by-law be prepared and submitted by the City Council asking the citizens to vote $145,000 for the cost of the new school.

Alderman Mara did not think there was any hurry to sell the bonds or even put the by-law if the Government had not made necessary appropriation.

The Council did not have the right to question any of these points, Alderman Brown declared. It was his understanding that the only thing the Council could do was to accede to the School Board's request. He therefore moved that the city solicitor be instructed to prepare the by-law and that the Graham estate on Hillside Avenue be set aside for the new technical school should the by-law pass.

Alderman Mara said that while this was being done the question of the Government appropriation could be looked into.

The School Board ought to be certain that the adjacent municipalities would be contributing toward the maintenance of the new school, Alderman Marchant said. It would mean another $25,000 a year added to the city's burden when the school was put in operation. "We have had object lessons in the past that outside municipalities do not always concurr in things that the city has to pay for," he declared. "Burdens are being added to Victoria by those who do not take the responsibility for them. It is time to call a halt in the process of adding these burdens to the city."

The motion of Alderman Brown's carried.

Correspondence As to Orientals Is to Be Tabled

OTTAWA, March 12.—A motion for the tabling of all correspondence in reference to Oriental immigration with respect to curtailing the activities of Orientals already in Canada was passed in the House this afternoon. The motion was made by W. G. McQuarrie, Conservative.

MUCH BRITISH CAPITAL SENT

London Financial Authority Tells of Investments Being Made — Interest in This Province

LONDON MONEY MARKET ACTIVE

MONTREAL, March 12. — The Prince of Wales and Premier Baldwin are two of Canada's keenest supporters in Great Britain, said Mr. Keith Morris, of The London Financial Times, in an interview here last evening. Mr. Morris is a leading authority in British financial circles on Canadian matters, an don this occasion is traveling in Eastern Canada, visiting the Maritime Provinces, Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto.

"Far more British capital is entering Canada through private channels than Canadians realize," stated Mr. Morris. "The mines of Northern Ontario and the pulp and paper industry are in greatest favor with the British investor. The rejuvenation of the British Columbia mining industry is also being watched in England."

The Peace River district is another field eyed with interest, he intimated, expressing the belief that the country was the land of tomorrow.

CANADIAN COMPANIES

There is a tendency for capital to seek association with Canadian industry rather than attempt to establish rival enterprises, the desire being to obtain the advantage of Canadian experience in co-operation.

The British money market is as active as ever, Mr. Morris continued, the people's standard of living is much higher than it was before the war. The dole, which is really employment insurance, to which both employer and employee contribute, and in which the Government participates, has robbed poverty of its tragedy. When the father of a family loses a job his wife and children no longer face starvation.

Mr. Morris landed at Saint John from the C.P.R. Ss. Montcalm.

FIRE AND WATER ENTRAP MINERS

Conflagration Continues While Water Rises in Lower Levels—Ten Men Imprisoned

MEXICO CITY, March 12.—Trapped between two fires above and water below, the entombed men in the American-owned Aurora copper mine, near Teziutlan, are believed to have perished.

The fire continues within the mine, and with the failure of the pumps to act water continues flooding the lower levels. Notwithstanding loss of hope, compressed air is being forced into the workings in an effort to save the miners, if any remain alive from asphyxiation. Eleven bodies have been recovered, according to information received by the mining company here, leaving ten men underground, where they have been since early Friday morning.

WIFE IDENTIFIES KNAPSACK FOUND

VANCOUVER, March 12.—That the knapsack found on an island in Active Pass last week in all probability was the property of John Nicholson is the opinion expressed to British Columbia police officers here by Mrs. Pete Olsen, wife of Nicholson's companion on their ill-fated trip to Victoria. She is basing her belief to this effect on a perusal of a list of the contents of the bag which was forwarded here by Victoria district officers.

The P.M.L. No. 3, in charge of Sergt. James Cunningham and Constable William Clark, left today for Active Pass, the scene of the mysterious disappearance February 24 of the two men and their automobile from the Ss. Princess Louise.

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, March 13

73rd Day, 1928.

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh south and west winds, partly cloudy, and mild, with occasional rain.

Sun Rises: 6:31 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:16 o'clock.

High Tide: 5:02 a.m., 8.5 feet.
Low Tide: 3:02 p.m., 3.5 feet.

Sport

Johnny Risko gets decision over Jack Sharkey.
Trail defeats Delisle in first game of semi-finals of Western Allan Cup series.
Board of Governors of N.H.L. announce play-off dates.
Tommy Loughran tells of Risko-Sharkey fight.
Veteran British marathoner wins ninth lap of Los Angeles-New York race.
Shasta Gold beats out fast field at Tijuana. Handy Mandy and Crystal Pennant come in money. Carlaris is also ran.
Pittsburgh Pirates get onto even terms with Detroit by defeating Chicago. Boston widens lead on Rangers.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Day labor to be used on West Coast Highway.
Local boards proposed to take over control of trades licences.
Civic service committee recommends Comptroller D. A. MacDonald as city manager.
By-law providing for technical school is questioned.
Summary of bill to spend $4,000,000 on completion of P.G.E.
One hundred thousand dollar drive for New Cathedral opens.
Half a mill slashed off city expenditures.
Mr. Pooley attacks timber clause in Taxation Bill.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Premier King and Mr. Bennett to close budget debate today.
Big new oil well in Alberta.
Seattle votes for mayor today.
Airplane tragedy in Britain.

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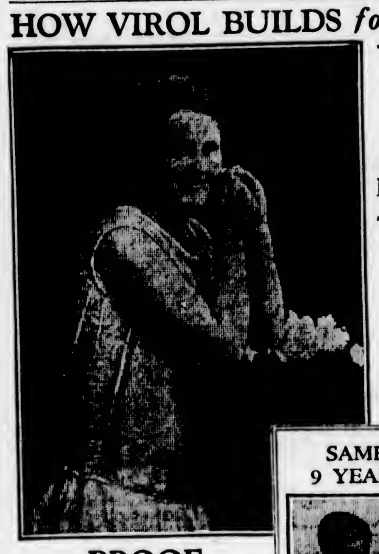
I went to my club at the end of the long vacation, when members were gradually returning from their holidays. One man, who was somewhat unpopular, arrived in the reading room, where there were many members gathered, and went round shaking hands effusively with everybody, and saying how delighted he was to see them again.

All the members were obviously bored, and a man with a caustic tongue, who was sitting by me, said: "I say, Ronald, that chap X—— is giving himself a very hearty welcome, isn't he?"

"Harry told me that I was one girl in a million."

"You didn't expect to be two, did you?"

HOW VIROL BUILDS *for LIFE*



Marjorie McKenna TO-DAY

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DAY LABOR TO BE USED ON HIGHWAY

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Hon. W. H. Sutherland went so far as to read from notes compiled by the Deputy Minister as to what roads had been presented for work, but when pressed to lay it on the table for perusal by the members, he said that it was not in shape for this, being only notes compiled by the Deputy Minister.

It was then that Colonel Peck suggested adjournment to allow the Minister to present this in concrete form or at least in shape that the members might consult it. This course was again refused, and Colonel Peck's motion to adjourn the debate was defeated by a majority of one.

During the debate on second reading, Mr. W. A. McKenzie said that it seemed strange that a bill to borrow this amount of money was not attended with details as to how this $4,600,000 was to be expended. It would have been expected that some details would have been given by the Ministers concerned.

This was all the more strange in view of the fact that the Government had now $5,577,000 already provided for and unexpended. On top of this came a request for a blank cheque for $4,600,000.

Last session the Minister said they could not give details of the expenditures intended. As soon as the House prorogued there was the information forthcoming setting out the avenues of expenditures. The Government must have known this when questions were asked in the House as to how the money was to be expended. Five days after the House rose, the information was in the papers.

With the staff of engineers employed by the Public Works Department it was surely able to have the information.

It was well to look into what the record of this Government was with respect to borrowing in the past.

GOVERNMENT LOAN BILLS

In this connection he recalled the loans bills of the Government since 1917, which showed the following:

	Loan
1917	$ 2,000,000
1918	5,000,000
1919	3,500,000
1910, elect	18,800,000
1921, first and second sessions	12,550,000
1922	3,500,000
1923	2,000,000
1924	3,500,000
1925	2,500,000
1927	6,000,000
	$59,350,000
Present Bill	4,600,000
	$63,950,000
P.G.E. Loan	4,000,000
	$67,950,000

He found no record of the Kuskanook Road which was supposed to cost half a million dollars, and which the Government promised Nelson in the by-election. There was too much of a disposition to place money in the hands of the Government to spend immense sums of money whenever the Ministers saw fit. With the money already authorized of over $5,000,000 there was now to be some $1,000,000 placed in the hands of the Government to spend largely on roads and bridges.

The member for Similkameen said that the engineer's estimates for the Cariboo Road was $1,250,000. It went up to $1,650,000. Then the cost was $1,900,000 with part to complete. The estimate now made of $315,000 to complete the last section showed that the cost would be $2,823,457. He would not doubt that it would be $3,000,000 before it was done.

Mr. McKenzie said that unless he had more details of expenditures under this head he would vote against this bill.

The present Premier had in 1925 said $1,000,000 to be spent on roads was ample. He had then advocated the greatest care in public expenditures.

He alluded to the fact that the programme of a road by Similkameen had been neglected.

CARPETING THE ROAD

The overexpenditure on the Cariboo road, under the Palmer contract, was sufficient to lay a Brussels carpet four yards wide over the entire length of it.

Mr. McKenzie told of the Coalmount Collieries and the expenditures represented by that company with heavy taxes paid to the Government, and yet no money spent by giving a connection by road to the colliery. The Granby Company also was neglected, having no road to connect with Princeton during the Winter months, although $30,000 would put the road in shape. This company was spending a lot of money, and was entitled to consideration.

He wanted a declaration as to whether the Hope-Princeton road was to be built, as promised. There should be an assurance on this from the minister on this point.

The Royal Engineers built at a cost of $440,000 a road 400 miles in length over the Cariboo route.

The Minister of Lands was asking for more money for his pet scheme at Point Grey. He had sold forty-seven lots and leased thirty-eight lots, which represented $1,493,145, and he was now asking for $350,000 more. The minister was always cheerful, and pronounced that it soon would be paying its own way.

The member did not wish to retard the project at Point Grey, but in view of the past experience, they could wait and let more lots be sold before doing further development work.

Unless there was forthcoming something of the main expenditures proposed, he would oppose the loan bill amounting to what this one did. He did not propose to put into the hands of the Government to expend millions of dollars in order to secure their election. This was a condition that should not exist. There were $10,000,000 to be placed in the hands of the Government, with no information as to how it was to be expended.

Mr. J. A. Macdonald was surprised at the member for Similkameen opposing the Kuskanook road.

Mr. McKenzie said he did not oppose the road. He, however, wanted information as to where the money was to be expended.

Mr. Reginald Hayward alluded to the fact that there had been voted for roads and bridges this sesioni $2,337,000. There was an unexpended sum of $1,319,000. This gave some $3,700,000 available, which with the $4,600,000 now asked for meant over $10,000,000 the Government was wanting to expend.

He quoted from the present Premier in 1925 the need of care in expenditures on roads.

Mr. H. D. Twigg thought the public would want to know where the money was to be spent when the Government came and asked for a loan, with over $5,000,000 already available.

"The wild expenditure of money must be curtailed," said Mr. Twigg.

He said this was all the more unreasonable in view of the fact that there was little or no information forthcoming as to how the money was to be expended.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Mr. G. A. Walkem favored a highway commission. This would make the appropriating of money for a road a real business of the members of the commission. It would also prevent the prestituting of the electorate, as was done in Nelson and New Westminster in by-elections.

He could not see why the road to Ioco needed large expenditures. The oil company could well take care of that.

Mr. J. Hinchliffe said the member for Similkameen had not opposed roads. He had objected to borrowing money to build roads when the Government had some five times as much on hand to expend as the Premier two years before declared was all that should be spent.

Directing attention to the bill in question, he asked the minister how much of the various loans were floated in the different years since 1917. If there was no definite statement as to the question of repayment, the Government was not in a position to deal with this loan bill.

The next question was whether the province could get along without borrowing. Before long the province would have to cease borrowing. This served a good time to stop borrowing. This, he thought, from appearance, could be done.

He argued that while the roads might be good to have, it became a question whether it was wise to borrow money to get these roads. The loan would mean that as much would be spent in interest on the loan in twenty years as would double the amount expended on roads.

If the province was not making satisfactory progress in repaying the loans already made, there should be a letup in borrowing.

Hon. W. H. Sutherland, in reply, said that all these road loans were repaid by capitalizing gas taxes and auto licences. This was agreed upon with the automobile clubs when the gas tax was put on. If the roads were not to be built, then the question of discontinuing the tax should be considered.

PRESSURE FROM OUTSIDE

The minister said if the wishes of the automobile clubs were followed they would spend twice as much as proposed, because the automobile and gas taxes would take care of it.

The boards of trade and the automobile clubs were asking for more roads than were being provided. He argued that Hon. Dr. Tolmie also advocated good roads.

There might be a $1,500,000 from last year against which cheques had not been issued, but there was not that amount available.

Touching briefly upon the programme for the year, Dr. Sutherland proceeded to refer to some of the road work suggested for the year. This included the cutting down of the high elevation on the Alberni road.

The Island Highway to Comox and Sayward roads were included; also Bulkhead about Cowichan Bay, which had given way; in Esquimalt, the old truck road on the Malahat, Jordan River road; and West Saanich road under agreement with municipality.

The minister said the department was not looking upon the road development along this line of whether the roads were in a Conservative or a Liberal riding, but for the good of the people. They were giving roads because the people asked for them. They were not giving nearly as much as were asked for. He argued that good value was being obtained for the money expended.

Engineer's estimates sometimes were exceeded, but this was common in all work. The Government was trying to give a square deal in the work that was done.

The condition today was different from what they were in years gone by, when horses were used. It was the endeavor to develop the roads so that the people of the province might be able to know their own country.

Colonel C. W. Peck wished to know if the minister could not prepare a statement to show how the money was being expended.

The minister said Mr. Philip, the deputy minister, would be willing to give all the information.

Colonel Fred Lister wanted to know about the $138,000 proposed for a golf course at Point Grey.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo said this was a mistake.

Colonel Lister hoped it was, because it was stated that this money would be loaned to a private company at six per cent for this golf course, while farmers had to pay seven and a half per cent for money.

NEEDS OF FRASER VALLEY

Mr. Alex. Paterson gave the situation as far as his riding was concerned. The riding had to put in paved roads to take care of the new demands, and the result had been a reduced mill rate.

He advocated a paved road from Chilliwack to Cloverdale, a distance of fifty miles. That road had more traffic over it than any other road. This would have to be done later. It would pay to do it.

Hon. T. G. Coventry called attention of Dr. Sutherland to the fact that year after year the people of Saanich had been seeking to have the Verdier Road paved. Saanich was having to pay heavily on its roads as a result of the opening of the Mill Bay Ferry.

The member for Delta had a very large mileage of paved roads as compared with what Saanich had, of only twenty-eight miles.

Premier MacLean argued that it cost a lot of money to open the country up with roads.

There were $60,000,000 of the $79,000,000 of debt being provided for by sinking funds. By the end of 1929 the whole of the debenture debt would be carrying full sinking fund provision. This additional amount for sinking fund would be $289,000. But with lower interest in refunding the amount would be materially lessened.

CHANGE OF MIND

He did not deny that he made a statement that $1,000,000 a year was enough for road expenditures. He had changed his mind on this point, however, as he found it was not enough. Turning to 1916, the Premier said a loan bill of $10,000,000 was asked for.

"What for?" asked Mr. Pooley.

"For the general purposes of the province," said Dr. MacLean. He went on to say it was for deficits to the extent of $4,000,000. He believed the full $4,600,000 was needed for roads.

Mr. R. H. Pooley wished to know if the minister could tell where the automobiles and the gas supply would be in twenty years' time. The world was moving and it was impossible to forecast the future.

The Premier, when he advocated $1,000,000 as all that could be spent by the province on roads in a year, was a new minister who, after carefully going into the matter, felt that was all that could be spent on roads. An examination of the situation now warranted calling a halt in borrowing.

Colonel Peck moved the adjournment of the debate. Other cries of "No, no" came from the Government side. The member for the Islands said that the Premier had intimated that the House was not in a hurry, and he wanted information before this passed.

Colonel Peck persisted in his demand, and a division was called, when the motion to adjourn the debate was defeated by a vote of twenty-two to twenty-one.

Messrs. Creery, Neelands, Browne and Uphill voted with the Conservative opposition. Mr. M. Manson and Mr. Munn were paired. Major Burde was absent.

The bill then passed its second reading, with Messrs. Browne, Neelands, Creery and Uphill voting with the Government.

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THE petit jury panel of thirty-six selected for the Victoria Spring Criminal Assizes, which open this morning at the Court House, with Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald presiding, includes one woman, and there also is one woman on the grand jury panel of thirteen. The selection was made last month by Sheriff H. W. Goggin, Mr. Brian Tyrwhitt-Drake, Registrar of the Supreme Court, and Messrs. James Forman and Captain George McGregor, two Justices of the Peace.

The five bills of indictment which will be presented to the Grand Jury today for its consideration will be those of Rex vs. Raymond Roberts, charged with manslaughter; Rex vs. Chew Leong Sing and Lee Lim, charged with attempted murder; Rex vs. John Dunnett and John Hutton, charged with criminally assaulting a girl; Rex vs. Frances Roberts, charged with theft, and Rex vs. Donald F. Flyan, charged with contributing to juvenile delinquency.

Mr. A. M. Johnson, K.C., and Mr. A. D. Macfarlane will be the Crown prosecutors.

Major Blackwell Dies

LONDON, March 12. — Major Francis Victor Blackwell, M.C., who was connected with the Canadian Trade Mission in London, is dead as the result of an operation. Major Blackwell was well known as a publicist and journalist. He was one of the organizers of the Victory Loan campaign. He was press adviser in connection with the Russian famine relief fund in 1921, and was publicity adviser to the department of overseas trade and also the British Empire Exhibition in 1924.

In October, 1917, Major Blackwell was sent with the British Military Mission to the United States.

DEPLETION ALLOWANCE IS ASSAILED

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He felt it was going to be exceedingly difficult to collect this tax.

The act was made retroactive. Wherever the unearned increment had been attempted a definite date was fixed in the future for the operation. This clause went contrary to this rule.

The rate of $1.50 a thousand as the depletion value was not fair. If it applied to the individual it should apply to the Government, for the latter was the largest timber holder in the province. The Government was in the timber business. The man in opposition to the Government in selling timber had to pay.

Mr. Pooley asked if the Premier was satisfied that the various timber men and mining men were satisfied with this measure.

The Premier said there were some objectors, but in general it was satisfactory.

Mr. Pooley read a message protesting against it from the B.C. Loggers' Association.

He read another message from Mr. J. B. McCormick, who protested against the bill, and ventured the opinion that nearly all timber interests were opposed to it.

The Premier said the first proposal was objected to, but now arrangements were made that satisfied them.

Mr. Pooley had messages also from the B.C. Shingle Association and the Consolidated Shingle Manufacturers' Association.

Mr. Pooley suggested that British Columbia was not able to carry the same levy on timber as other parts.

He wished to know how the security of those who loaned money on timber would stand. He declared there was danger to the logging industry. It was a form of taxation, and therefore contrary to the Government's avowed policy of conservation.

SAYS BREAKING OF TRUST

This taxation was a breaking of trust with the timber industry, he said. Timber holders would have to pay higher interest in carrying their investments. A special course would be required before a sale was likely.

He disagreed with the constant reference in the act to leaving all kinds of discretion to the minister. He did not think the members of the Government were competent to arrive at a clear decision. If there ever was an act under which appeal should be allowed to the courts, it was this act.

Mr. Pooley suggested the case where the timber went back to the vendor, after the tax had been paid.

He wished the bill had been brought down earlier, so as to allow better study of it.

It did not appeal to him as the right kind of legislation. He failed from what he had heard to see how the Premier could say that this was being agreed to by those concerned.

He felt that a bill, affecting as it did two of the basic industries of the province, should not be brought down so late in the session, this affording little chance to go into the matter.

Mr. J. W. Jones said there were some few good features in the bill adopted from the Conservatives. The consideration for the mining men he agreed with; also the reduction in the turnover tax as affecting the small man.

There were twenty-one references to the power assigned the minister in the bill. It was a most autocratic measure.

VALUE OF INDUSTRY

The timber industry employed about 41,000 men and had a productive value of $80,000,000 or $90,000,000. The Government was deriving some $5,000,000 a year from the industry. Yet in spite of this the Government, in the last days of the session, brought in this additional tax.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo contended that royalty and licence was not a tax.

Mr. Jones said the industry regarded it as a tax.

The fact remained that the industry was not in the most prosperous condition. In 1930 the industry would have to face an increased royalty. This new tax was an invasion upon the royalty system. The logger was got after, because he could not get the wealthy man that lived outside the province.

Mr. M. Manson contrasted the difference in the amounts derived from the timber men as compared with the mining industry. The lumber output in 1927 represented $84,000,000, while in royalties, licences, etc., the industry paid $4,000,000. At the same time the minees produced $67,000,000, and paid in taxes of various kinds $1,000,000. He did not want to see mining made to bear a greater burden, but timber should bear less. Mr. Manson said this tax would come out of the logging operator.

Mr. Pattullo said it would be paid by the owner.

Mr. Manson contended that the owner living in the United States often would escape this levy. The logger would have to pay.

EFFECT ON MINING

Mr. N. A. Wallinger did not approve of the system of taking taxes off in one direction, and adding them in another, as seemed to be practised by the Government.

He did not think that a new tax should be put on mining. That industry had to carry the two per cent tax. It had to bear its share of the income tax, and to some extent it was obliged to carry its share of the school taxes. This was enough, he felt, without adding another.

It was an essential feature of legislation connected with mining that there should be nothing that would tend to unsettle it. The industry should remain stabilized as far as possible. It was not a wise thing to tax an industry in its infancy when it was attracting the attention of the whole outside world, as was the case with mining.

The only excuse that could be offered was that the Government needed taxes, and was going to get them wherever it could.

But when this was being done, why tax the prospector? asked Mr. Wallinger. The only excuse offered was that it was a large one. Then why introduce it, he asked?

In passing, Mr. Wallinger offered suggestions looking to the taking care of the ensuring of nothing but what was correct appearing in the prospectuses that were issued with respect to mining companies. He advocated that they should all be filed with the resident engineer of the district who, in turn, should check the settlements up with the actual situation on the properties. If this were done he was of the opinion that the province would soon gain a name for being a clean province as far as its companies' representations were concerned.

The debate was adjourned on motion of Mr. G. A. Walkem.

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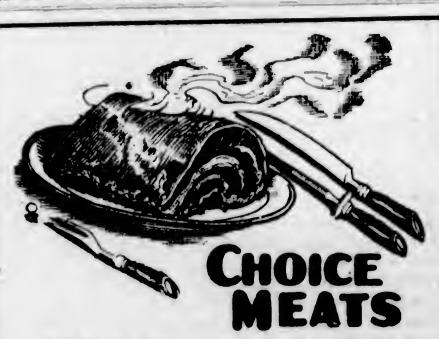

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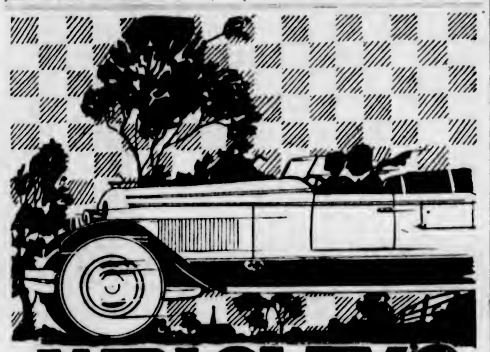

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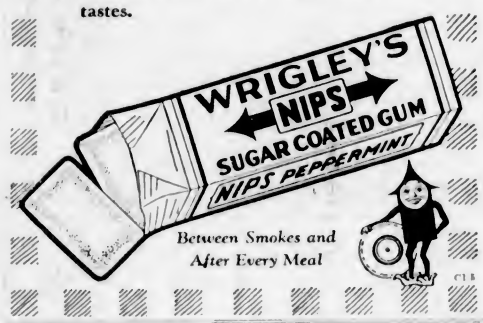

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GOVERNMENT LOSES VOTE

Proposed Cancellation of Mount Assiniboine Park Reservation Defeated in Committee

EXPLOITATION OF AREAS IS FEARED

The proposed cancellation of the Mount Assiniboine Park reservation was defeated in the Legislature yesterday morning, the rejection of the ministerial policy by a division of twenty to nineteen, in committee, constituting a serious reverse for the Government.

The Government's repulse came when amendments to the Provincial Parks Act to give the Minister of Lands general powers of administration over parks were being considered in committee. After rejection of the Assiniboine Park cancellation clause, the bill was left in committee stage until the afternoon, when it was reported complete with amendments.

He was sorry to notice that the Government had not seen fit to withdraw from its former attitude, Mr. H. D. Twigg, Conservative, Victoria, declared, opening the Opposition's broadside on the proposals.

He had noticed the other day, Mr. Twigg continued, that the limits of Garibaldi Park had been extended by the addition of 200 square miles. The park area would contain a very valuable water power. Noting that the Minister of Lands seemd to be interested in parks where water power was concerned, Mr. Twigg asked Hon. T. D. Pattullo whether Garibaldi Park was administered under the Provincial Parks Act.

Mr. Pattullo replied that power to extend the limits of the park by order-in-council was given in the special Garibaldi Park Act.

A SERIOUS QUESTION

The parks situation was one the House should consider very seriously, Mr. Twigg declared. The Dominion Government was now refusing exactly what the British Columbia Government was being asked to give. The House was thus asked to endorse a retrograde movement. The time had come when the parks should be removed completely from political control.

The clause empowering regulations by order-in-council, leasing for any term of years such parts of parks as deemed "advisable in the public interests for public purposes for the construction of buildings for ordinary habitation, for purposes of trade and industry, and for the accommodation of persons resorting to the park," was then carried.

Mr. Twigg then moved to strike out the phrase: "For purposes of trade and industry," declaring that power should not be given to hand over parts of the public parks to trade and industry without the wishes of the people being consulted. That would open up a wide field for manipulation—though, in the use of that term, "manipulation," he did not have reference to the Minister of Lands or to any other minister for that matter.

MR. PATTULLO REPLIES

The Garibaldi Park Act, the Mount Robson Park Act, and the Strathcona Park Act all gave wider powers than the clause under consideration would give with the phrase remaining, Mr. Pattullo replied. One should be governed by sane reasons and common sense in matters of this kind. He would never have recommended the extension of Garibaldi Park save that authority to do so existed under the Garibaldi Act. The water power development, permitted under the act, would be lost in the 200 square miles.

There was a very large volume of public opinion to the effect that the public parks should be left alone, Mr. Twigg declared.

Mr. Chris McRae, Liberal, Vancouver, pointed out that the Minister of Lands was entrusted with control of the 400,000 square miles of land in the province, and asked why members should cavil at his control over the relatively small area of the parks. Ninety per cent of the Conservatives of the province had abolute confidence in the ability of the Minister of Lands to administer the parks.

Mr. R. H. Pooley pointed to the opposition to the Government policy expressed in editorials of all the leading newspapers of the province. Every one of them had been editorially saying: "Hands off the parks." Even the Vancouver Star had requested that the parks be kept free for all time as the playgrounds of the people.

WITHDRAWS OBJECTION

To show how agreeable he was, Mr. Pattullo stated he would withdraw his opposition to the amendment to strike out the phrase, "for purposes of trade and industry." If the House wanted to take the responsibility of such a decision.

Mr. Twigg's amendment then carried.

Explaining the clause to cancel the reservation on Assiniboine Park, Mr. Pattullo said the C.P.R. wished to lease a section for purposes of tourist development. The park, however, would be as free to the public as before.

Things should be done in a business way, Mr. Pooley declared. Let the C.P.R. apply in writing for a lease, he added.

Mr. Pattullo said the park had only been set aside at the particular request of the Alpine Club, and that he had heard no protest from that organization. The club would be in favor of the proposal.

For years the Alpine Club had protested against the exploitation of Spray Lakes for water power purposes, Mr. Twigg declared.

"This has nothing to do with Spray Lakes," said Mr. Pattullo.

"It has," retorted Mr. Twigg, "because the exploitation of Spray Lakes would spoil the easiest and best method of entry into Assiniboine Park."

LAKES IN ALBERTA

Spray Lakes were not in British Columbia but in Alberta, Mr. Pattullo rejoined.

That was true, but the environs bordered on Assiniboine Park, and to tamper with Spray Lakes was to materially interfere with the former park. It was necessary to cancel the reservation on Assiniboine Park to make it possible fully to exploit Spray Lakes.

Mr. Twigg read a long list of names of various clubs in the United States and in different parts of Canada which have protested against the exploitation of Spray Lakes. They indicated the widespread desire on the part of the public to see the parks remain untampered with.

Spray Lakes were in Alberta but the streams emptying into them ran through mountains on the British Columbia side of the boundary, Mr. Pooley said. Of what use was a water power plant without streams of water.

The Government had never heard of an application in this regard from water power interests, Mr. Pattullo replied. Supposing what Mr. Pooley said was true, any lease to the C.P.R. would not give them any water rights.

A lease to the C.P.R. of the Assiniboine Park would control the watersheds, Mr. Twigg pointed out.

Why were people like the Gyros and Kiwanis passing resolutions against the Spray Lakes proposal unless it was that they knew the exploitation would interfere with Assiniboine Park? Mr. Twigg asked.

DIVISION TAKEN

Mr. Charles Woodward, Liberal, Vancouver, Mr. A. McCreery, Provincial, Vancouver, and Labor members opposed the Government in the division by which the cancellation clause was rejected.

Near the close of the afternoon session, Mr. Pattullo moved that the bill be reported complete with amendments and that it be considered at the next session of the House. In doing so he remarked that control of Assiniboine Park wound not mean control of the Spray Lakes watershed. All the waters of Assiniboine Park drained into the Kootenay River, he declared, and not into Alberta at all.

"There are two sides to the mountain," Mr. Pooley remarked.

KILLED IN AUTO

MISSION CITY, March 12.—Robert Parsonson was killed and Ralph Atkinson probably fatally injured in an automobile crash about half a mile west of Hatzic Sunday evening. Atkinson, twenty-two, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Atkinson, of Hatzic, was driving a touring car to Mission City, accompanied by Parsonson, nineteen, son of Victor Parsonson, C.N.R. car inspector, of Watrous, Sask., and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. George Munday, of Hatzic, with whom he had been visiting.

About half-way between Hatzic and the Mission Road a pole truck and trailer, loaded with poles, was going west, owned by Stanley Trunill, pole contractor, of Mission, and in charge of Tom Ritchie, had stopped to allow another car, going east, to pass. The pole truck had just started up again and was barely moving, when the car with the two lads crashed into the rear of the load.

Bluejackets Fired On

HONG KONG, March 12.—Two British bluejackets from the gunboat Robin, which is patrolling the Canton delta, were fired on Friday by the militia of a river village, one being fatally wounded.

The men were members of a party of twelve which had been landed for exercise.

PREMIER GIVES TERSE ADVICE

MRS. JOHN HALL REPORTS PROCEEDINGS TO LOCAL COUNCIL

Hon. Dr. MacLean Tells Delegation Opposed to Race-Track Betting to Go to Municipalities

As the principal beneficiaries from the tax on betting—the municipalities, rather than the Government—would be the right people to approach in connection with any effort to suppress race track gambling, Premier MacLean told a group of provincial social welfare representatives which waited upon him a few days ago at the Parliament Buildings.

Mrs. John Hall, president of the W.C.T.U., reported the result of this conference at the meeting of the Local Council of Women yesterday afternoon. Later in the proceedings Mrs. W. J. Savory, another member of the council, called attention to some of the advantages of horse racing, saying that it was not necessary to have gambling in connection with the sport, and that properly conducted it would make Victoria an even more popular place than it already is. It was more important to outlaw gambling than it was to curtail the period during which racing should be permitted.

Dr. G. A. Brown, principal of Union College, Vancouver, acting as spokesman of the delegation which waited on the Premier, had, Mrs. Hall reported, pointed out that he personally did not oppose racing, merely the gambling in connection with racing. In forty-five of the forty-eight states in America, race track gambling was prohibited, and racing had become a more popular sport than ever before. British Columbia, during the fifty-six days during which racing was allowed last year, had spent $4,311,581 in gambling. This was one and a half times more than in the Province of Quebec, which had four times the population; yet, British Columbia, with an average per capita wealth of $2,604, stood lowest among the four Western provinces. Christian ministers were almost unanimous in condemning the moral effect of gambling, particularly on the youth of the country who saw in it, mistakenly, an easy way to make something for nothing.

Replying to the delegation, Premier MacLean had expressed a personal lack of interest in horse racing. Although he had a government pass for the races, he had never attended them. He had also reminded the delegation that only last year the Race Track Act had been amended. The Government had benefited only to the extent of $7,000 by the tax on race track gambling; it was the municipalities which benefited most from this source of revenue, and if this source of revenue were cut off from the municipalities, they would be unable to supplement their budget from any other source. He would suggest that the delegation put the case up to the municipalities.

The personnel of the delegation was named by Mrs. Hall. Headed by Dr. Brown, it included Rev. Gordon Dickie, of Vancouver, secretary of the Social Service Council of British Columbia; Miss Crease, of Victoria, representing the Provincial Council of Women; Mrs. G. O. Fallis, representing the Vancouver Local Council; Mrs. John Hall, representing the W.C.T.U.; Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, Rev. Dr. Sipprell and Rev. W. Guy, Victoria; Dr. Hugh Dobson; Mr. D. McCall, Victoria Orangemen's Association, all of whom spoke; and representatives of the University Women's Club, of the Child Welfare Association, etc.

OTHER BUSINESS

Following the reading of communications from the Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands, and Colonel C. W. Peck, M.P., Major Lyons, M.P.P., and Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., concerning the protection of national and provincial parks against appropriation for industrial purposes, the local council decided to send letters to the Hon. Charles Stewart and the Hon. S. F. Tolmie, urging them to do what they could to preserve such parks. A letter from Mr. A. O. Wheeler, of Sidney, western vice-president of the National Parks Association, thanked the council for their recent action in protesting against use by the Government of any of the national or provincial parks for other than park purposes. An anonymous donor of $5 for council membership in the National Parks Association, was cordially thanked for the gift.

In response to a letter from Mr. C. P. Meredith, general secretary of the central committee, concerning the League of Nations Society work and the projected coast-to-coast drive on behalf of the society, Mrs. Graves moved that the local council of women send a representative to a meeting which is to be held in Victoria early in April.

TAG DAY RESULT

Mrs. A. Booth reported the result of Saturday's tag day on behalf of the Local Council endowment operating table for children. The proceeds had been rather disappointing, only $250 being taken. A vote of thanks to the tag day conveners, Mrs. Booth and Mrs. Crocker, was passed.

Miss Crease gave a report of the recent Vancouver Local Council annual meeting, paying the society warm tribute for the quick and efficient way in which it had put through its business. The society now has seventy-four affiliated societies. At the suggestion of Mrs. Hodges, Mrs. Ada Tonkin, pastor of the Unitarian Church here, and one of the speakers at the Vancouver Local Council annual, is to be invited to address the Victoria Local Council.

The application of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Typographical Union for affiliation, was accepted.

The new treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Littler, heartily welcomed on her first appearance in office, reported a small surplus in hand after payment of all bills.

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NAVY LEAGUE COUNCIL TO MEET IN SAINT JOHN

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 10.—The Dominion council of the Navy League of Canada will meet in Saint John in June, it was announced here by Admiral O. W. Storey, of Guelph, Ont., who returned to Canada today on the steamship Montcalm, accompanied by Mrs. Storey. He had been a delegate of the Navy League with others, to a meeting in London with British immigration authorities.

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Bozo—Hm, don' you all know? Them's them marriages that all fizzles out.

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Mr. H. H. Smith Dies

WINNIPEG, March 12.—Henry Hall Smith, eighty-two, for many years a prominent figure not only in the public affairs of the West, but in the life of the Dominion, died at the home of his son, Dr. W. Harvey Smith, here, yesterday. He suffered a stroke while dressing.

Mr. Smith, whose father was Hon. Sidney Smith, member of Parliament for West Northumberland and Postmaster-General in the Macdonald-Cartier Government of 1858, was at one time Dominion lands commissioner here.

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MINING TAXATION

The substitute for the Increment Tax of last session, now before the Legislature, has been brought in at the eleventh hour with no time left for consideration. It is not clear that the matter has come before the mining committee of the Legislature. The whole principle and implications of the tax are so vague that its effects on the industry should be thoroughly canvassed before it is approved. It may well be asked, for instance, how can a prospector, after long years of work on many claims, and when, having made a sale of one mining property, show what are the totals of his expenditures in connection with all properties. Surely British Columbia owes a great deal to the prospector and pioneer without making him subject to a new tax which will eat into profits which may be few and far between.

Take two pages of the new taxation act now before the Legislature and the following phrases will indicate whither we are drifting in the process of assigning more and more drastic authority to the Ministers of the Cabinet:

"Costs and expenses which the Minister may determine."

"To be determined by the Minister."
"Terms satisfactory to the Minister."
"The Minister in his discretion."
"The Minister shall have regard."
"As determined by the Minister."
"Which the Minister may consider."
"The amount so ascertained by the Minister."

The Minister in question is, in every instance, the Minister of Finance, who is not in touch with or familiar with the mining industry. From this it may be gathered that the proposed legislation is arbitrary. It is a form of new taxation, the extent of which it appears is to be determined at the will of one Minister of the Government. Inasmuch as the Government has insisted that taxation has been reduced during the present session it should inform the Legislature whether the new tax is devised for the purpose of offsetting the reduction effected. The estimates make no mention of the new tax, nor is there any attempt to say what it will bring in to the Treasury. From the wording of the act it would appear that it will bring in just as much or as little as the Minister of Finance wishes to dictate. In effect, far too great power is being vested in the hands of one Minister of the Government, and it does not ameliorate the situation through that Minister being the Premier. It is in his capacity of Ministery of Finance that he is being given the new powers.

The mining industry to be assisted needs to be relieved of taxation, not faced with new imposts. The new legislation is just as necessary as the Increment Tax passed last session, but now withdrawn since the Government has sensed how public opinion is opposed to the measure.

BRITAIN AND AFGHANISTAN

The visit of the ruler of Afghanistan to Great Britain is a matter of great significance to the Empire. Very few rulers of Afghanistan have ever left their capital except as conquerors or exiles. King Amanulla's absence indicates that his stormy kingdom has become a settled and civilized country, but there is more in it than that. The visit and the Anglo-Indian-Afghan courtesies that precede and are to follow it, fill in, like pieces in a jig-saw puzzle, with the play which is now being enacted in the lands touching on the frontier of India, the diplomatic struggle between Britain and the Soviet Republic, with Afghan and Persian friendship as the prize. It is all part and parcel of an old game under a new guise. It was played in the days of the Tsarist regime, though, owing to the mutual recognition of the fact that it had dangerous possibilities for both Russia and Britain alike, it was temporarily suspended by mutual agreement by the 1907 Convention, which regulated the activities of the two countries in Persia, Afghanistan and Thibet, respectively. It started once more in January, 1916, when Mr. Trotsky announced the annulment of that convention. It soon became plain, however, that the method of play had undergone a considerable change. The Tsarist efforts were purely physical, and could, if necessary, be countered by physical means. Since 1918 it has been a conflict of ideas, a much more insidious form of warfare. Afghanistan, Persia and Thibet, however, continue to occupy as important a position in the game as ever they did, and both Britain and Russia, therefore, are wooing them as assiduously.

"In so far as Afghanistan was concerned," says The Tokyo Trans-Pacific, "England had but little to fear at the outset of this renewal of the game. Habidulla, the Amir, had proved his friendship during the years of the Great War by refusing to hear the call of the Sultan of Turkey, as the Caliph of Islam, against the Allies. There was little likelihood, therefore, that he would succumb to the blandishments of Russia. But Habidulla died in 1919, and within three months of his death Amanulla, his son and successor, had hurled his tribes and his regular troops on India." The new Amir was eventually defeated, and after prolonged negotiations, a treaty of friendship was concluded. Amanulla now holds by his treaties, and is eager to rule and organize a model modern state; but the old semi-protected status of Afghanistan has disappeared and no longer does its ruler receive from India the handsome subsidy which he had formerly enjoyed. This is the man who is now visiting His Majesty, and in view of the Soviet's efforts to substitute their own for British influence, this visit is one of major importance.

During the past few years the Soviet has built a strategic railway linking up the Turkestan railway system with the main caravan route through Kabul to India. It has sold aeroplanes to Afghanistan and provided instructors, and has constructed telegraph lines in Northern Afghanistan at the request of the Kabul authorities, and last, but by no means least, it has carried out a tireless propaganda against the British in India. Thus it will be seen that in Afghanistan, as in other parts of Asia, British and Soviet diplomacy are ranged against each other as of old. Methods may have changed, but the game and the goal remain the same. The ruler of Afghanistan, though he was once instigated to attack Britain in India, has, after a few years' reflection, changed his course and has turned from Russia to Britain. It is a suggestive sign of the times that Russian propaganda is breaking down in Mid-Asia as well as in China.

There are few more cogent evidences of a nation's stability and virility than the place which it occupies in the trading lists. Britain was the heaviest sufferer of all nations in its merchant marine during the Great War. It looked as if the nature of the losses would force her to give up her place as the chief carrier of the world's trade. "Yet," says The London Times, "less than ten years after the close of the war we own half the existing tonnage and we are building over three-fifths of the new vessels."

A Montreal resident suggests that the name of the Province of Quebec should be changed to Laurentia and the reasons he gives are that this change should be made on the grounds of "beauty and business." With the beauty involved in the change all might agree but for business reasons the name Quebec has had so long a start that its loss now would be a detriment to the French-Canadian Province.

In Montreal, as to somewhat a similar extent in Victoria, it has become the custom to discuss and frame civic budgets with "closed doors." In commenting on this The Montreal Star says: "Anything more absurd is difficult to imagine. One would think the elected aldermen were planning the spending of their own money instead of that of the citizens."

The Federal Government is to build a flotilla of high speed boats to prevent the smuggling of liquors into the United States. In other words, Canadian taxpayers are to provide the money to enable the United States to enforce one of its laws.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 12, 1928.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.16	39	46
Vancouver	.98	34	40
Kamloops	--	28	48
Barkerville	--	28	32
Estevan	.16	38	46
Prince Rupert	.12	32	48
Dawson	--	30b	8b
Seattle	Trace	38	50
Portland	--	40	52
San Francisco	--	54	62
Spokane	--	32	44
Penticton	--	28	48
Vernon	--	30	47
Grand Forks	--	21	43
Nelson	--	27	43
Kaslo	--	29	40
Cranbrook	--	24	41
Calgary	--	20	40
Edmonton	--	18	32
Swift Current	Snow, trace	20	26
Prince Albert	--	8	22
Qu'Appelle	--	12	20
Winnipeg	--	18	30

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds; partly cloudy and mild with occasional rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; unsettled and mild with rain.

SUNDAY

Maximum	50
Minimum	41
Average	45
Minimum on the grass	37

Bright sunshine, 7 hours 42 minutes.
Rain, .01 inch.
General state of the weather, fair.

MONDAY

Maximum	46
Minimum	39
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	33

Bright sunshine, 1 hour 0 minutes.
Rain, .16 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S., 9 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.82; wind, E., 6 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.74; wind, E., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.70; wind, S.W., 10 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; calm; raining.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.84; wind, N.W., 10 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S.W., 16 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.00; wind, S.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.90; wind, S., 14 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

THE CLIPPER

Her sails are strong and yellow as the sand
Her spars are tall and supple as the pine,
And, like the bounty of a generous mine,
Sun-touched, her brasses flash on every hand.
Her sheer takes beauty from a golden band,
Which, sweeping aft, is taught to twist and twine
Into a scroll, and badge of quaint design
Hang on her quarters. Insolent and grand
She drives. Her stem rings loudly as it throws
The hissing sapphire into foamy waves,
While on her weather bends the copper glows
In burnished splendor. Rolling down she laves
Her high black sides until the scupper flows,
Then pushing out her shapely bow she braves
The next tall sea, and, leaping, onward goes.
—Thomas Fleming Day, in "Songs of Sea and Sail."

Wherever literature consoles sorrow or assuages pain; wherever it brings gladness to the eyes which fail with wakefulness and tears, and ache for the dark house and the long sleep—there is exhibited in its noblest form the immortal influence of Athens.—Lord Macaulay.

It is not the situation which makes the man, but the man who makes the situation. The slave may be a freeman. The monarch may be a slave. Situations are noble or ignoble, as we make them.—F. W. Robertson.

Mercy is like a rainbow which God hath set in the clouds; it never shines after it is night. If we refuse mercy here, we shall have justice in eternity.—Jeremy Taylor.

Never esteem any things of advantage to thee that shall make thee break thy word or lose thy self-respect.—Marcus Aurelius.

Blow out vain pomp, check impulse, quench appetite, keep reason under its own control.—Marcus Aurelius.

In taking revenge, a man is but even with his enemy; but in passing it over, he is superior; for it is a prince's part to pardon.—Francis Bacon.

The noble spirit cures injustice by forgiving it.—Publius Syrus.

I have never willingly planted a thorn in any man's bosom.—Abraham Lincoln.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Sir:—With reference to the editorial appearing in The Colonist of February 29, 1928, under the caption, "The Comptroller-General," it is somewhat unusual for an officer of the Crown to publicly reply to criticisms in the press reflecting on the manner in which he may be carrying out the duties and responsibilities of his office.

As, however, the editorial now in question, when read in conjunction with other editorials which have appeared in The Colonist within the past few years indicates you are not wholly conversant with the whole situation, I feel I should be greatly wanting in my duty, both to the people of British Columbia and to the Legislature, if I failed to place the facts before you.

In the first place let me say that in approaching this matter I do not do so from any desire to enter into controversy, but rather as an officer of the Crown, who, while fully appreciating the duties and privileges of the press, considers it his duty to correct misleading statements which have unfortunately been broadcast throughout the Province, and which in all probability will convey, if they have not already done so, unjust impressions.

The following are statements made in Colonist editorials:

(1) "It (the Public Accounts Committee) has not attempted to see that the Comptroller-General has carried out the duties for which his office was created, with the result that that official appears to have become a mere rubber stamp in the hands of the Government."

(2) "The question that arises, in connection with over-expenditure on public works, is whether he (Comptroller-General) is simply a tool of the Cabinet or does he act in an independent manner. If he is responsible to the Legislature alone, then he should be the first to draw the attention of the Public Accounts Committee to the over-expenditures which have been evident over such a long period." Answer: In making the above statements, have you not overlooked the fact that the reports of the Comptroller-General presented to the Legislative Assembly not later than fifteen days after the opening of each session, from February 7, 1918, to January 24, 1928, call attention to every case in which over-expenditures have occurred?

In reference to No. 2, as quoted above, you say that "If the Comptroller-General is responsible to the Legislature alone, then he should be the first to draw the attention of the Public Accounts Committee to the over-expenditures, etc." One is at a loss to understand by what course of reasoning you have arrived at the conclusion that an official "responsible to the Legislature alone, should be the first to draw the attention of the Public Accounts Committee" to any matter arising out of a report submitted by him to the Legislature.

Again, when you speak of over-expenditures, have you taken into consideration the several sources through which the Government of the day receives authority to make expenditures in carrying on the affairs of the Province, as follows:

(a) Main estimates approved by the Legislature. (b) Supplementary estimates approved by the Legislature. (c) Special warrants granted by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. (d) Statutory, being those authorized by certain acts of the Legislature.

I would now refer to the Colonist of February 14 last, in which the statement is made that in the fiscal year 1926-27, there was expended "two and a half millions more than was authorized." Were this statement true, it would stand as a most damning indictment, but I cannot believe that the Honorable Member responsible for making the statement was aware of the facts, although he should have known them had he made a close study of the Public Accounts, which he claims to have done. Nor does it seem that you are free from blame in this connection: is it not the duty of the press to satisfy itself in regard to the truth and accuracy of a statement made before giving it to the public and arousing suspicion and distrust without cause?

If you will now carefully examine the following figures and at the same time compare them with those appearing in the Public Accounts, pages xviii to xxxv, inclusive, there should be no difficulty in satisfying yourself that the true state of affairs so far as the expenditures for 1927-1927 are concerned, was an expended balance of $459,786.29 instead of the unauthorized over-expenditure of two and a half millions, as stated in The Colonist, February 14.

No. of Vote	SERVICE	Total appropriations legally authorized	Expended	Unexpended	Over-expended
1	Public Debt. "A" Main Estimates $3,336,293.42. "D" Statutory, $293,616.83	$3,630,210.25	$3,630,210.25		$11,686.77
2	Legislation. "A" Main Estimates	127,500.00	139,365.77		
3	Premier's Office. "A" Main Est.	14,680.00	14,315.66	364.04	
4-42G	Department of Agriculture "A" Main Estimates $440,320.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates, $51,300.00. "C" Special Warrants $30,000.00. "D" Statutory, $2,150.47	513,670.47	480,851.11	34,204.64	1,385.26
43-76S	Department of the Attorney-General. "A" Main Estimates $1,147,346.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $75,664.00. "D" Statutory $571,057.74	1,794,000.74	1,803,337.64	26,576.70	38,823.60
80-106	Department of Education: "A" Main Estimates $2,350,112.00. "B" Supplementary Est. 1500.00	3,350,612.00	3,297,982.02	59,707.48	7,077.50
107-160	Department of Finance. "A" Main Estimates $730,317.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $71,975.00. "D" Statutory $532,603.07	1,334,895.07	1,335,574.49	20,481.32	21,170.74
161	Department of Fisheries. "A" Main Estimates	17,890.00	15,535.21	2,354.79	
162-164	Department of Labor. "A" Main Estimates	72,116.00	66,015.45	6,241.36	138.84
167-163A	Department of Lands "A" Main Estimates $1,287,300.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $275,000.00. "C" Special Warrants, $2,940.00. "D" Statutory $69,863.60	1,635,106.60	1,527,189.28	107,619.32	
164-205	Department of Mines. "A" Main Estimates $275,745.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $13,000.00. "D" Statutory $2,258.40	291,003.40	279,515.03	11,602.57	114.20
208-240	Department of the Provincial Secretary. "A" Main Estimates $1,626,894.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $93,050.00. "C" Special Warrants $5,000.00. "D" Statutory $859,646.91	2,584,590.91	2,552,056.50	61,204.06	28,671.65
244-253A	Department of Public Works. "A" Main Estimates $2,780,843.00. "B" Supplementary Estimates $76,500.00. "C" Special Warrants $5,600.00	2,865,943.00	2,640,566.51	232,879.65	7,523.16
254-255	Department of Railways: "A" Main Estimates, $60,350.00. "B" Supplementary $6,500.00	66,850.00	64,132.51	2,717.49	
256-262	Capital Account (Expenditures out of Income) "A" Main Estimates $2,749,335.61. "B" Supplementary $94,704.00. "C" Special Warrants, $300.00. "D" Statutory $56,327.70	2,848,716.31	2,941,405.73	7,313.56	
	Total, Fiscal year 1926-1927	$21,247,661.75	$20,788,095.46	$576,577.03	$116,790.74

RECAPITULATION

Appropriations Authorized:—		
"A" Main Estimates		$18,247,052.03
"B" Supplementary Estimates		746,165.00
"C" Special Warrants		33,840.00
"D" Statutory		2,200,824.72
Total appropriation legally authorized		$21,247,881.75
Amounts Expended:—		
"A" Main Estimates	$17,788,114.18	
"B" Supplementary Estimates	855,030.41	
"C" Special Warrants	33,776.80	
"D" Statutory	2,184,360.33	
Unauthorized over-expenditures	116,790.74	
Total Expenditures		$20,788,095.46
Net Balance Unexpended		$ 459,786.29

Departments, or services, which did not expend the total appropriations legally authorized are:—

Departments (or service)		Net amounts unexpended
Public Debt, expended under this service the total appropriation authorized, no more, no less		
Premier's Office		$ 364.04
Department of Agriculture—		
Unexpended	$34,204.64	
Over-expended	1,385.26	
		32,819.38
Department of Education:—		
Unexpended	59,707.48	
Over-expended	7,077.50	
		52,629.98
Department of Fisheries:—		
Unexpended		2,354.79
Department of Labor:—		
Unexpended	6,241.39	
Over-expended	138.84	
		6,102.55
Department of Lands:—		
Unexpended		107,619.32
Department of Mines:—		
Unexpended	11,602.57	
Over-expended	114.20	
		11,488.37
Department of the Provincial Secretary:—		
Unexpended	61,204.06	
Over-expended	28,671.65	
		33,532.41
Department of Public Works:—		
Unexpended	232,876.65	
Over-expended	7,523.16	
		225,356.49
Department of Railways	Unexpended	$ 2,717.46
Capital Account	Unexpended	7,313.56
Total Net Amount Unexpended		$ 461,598.38

Departments, or services, which over-expended total appropriations are:—

		Net Amounts Over-Expended
Legislation	Over-Expended	111,685.77
Department of the Attorney-General:—		
Over-expended	$36,823.60	
Unexpended	30,576.76	
		6,246.60
Department of Finance:—		
Over-expended	21,170.74	
Unexpended	20,494.32	
		676.42
Total Net Amount Over-Expended		21,812.06
Net Balance Unexpended, as above		$ 459,786.29

These figures taken, as previously mentioned, from the Public Accounts, disclose the fact that out of fifteen Departments (or Services) no less than twelve of them expended the total appropriation legally authorized, having to their credit March 31, 1927, a balance of $461,598.38. The remaining three Departments (or Services) over-expended the appropriations legally authorized $21,812.09, thus reducing the net unexpended balance standing to the credit of 1926-27 to the amount $459,786.29 shown above.

Surely these results, and they cannot be disputed, are sufficient answer to the charge that there was expended "two and a half millions more than was authorized." It should not escape notice also that the Department of Public Works, against which the remarks contained in editorial of February 29, are chiefly directed, had to its credit on March 31, 1927, the largest unexpended balance, $225,356.49, being but little short of half the net total unexpended balance made up from all Departments.

Since writing the above, it is noted there is a further leading article of March 7, under the caption "University Expenditures," purporting to show the total expenditures, both current and capital, on account of the University and the University Endowment Lands since the year 1910. Your figures are, however, incomplete, but time will not permit me to deal with them here.

It is further stated in your latest editorial (7th instant) "so far as is known, the Government has not created a special fund into which such receipts (revenue now being derived from the sale of University Endowment Lands) are paid. The receipts from the sale of the University Endowment Lands have not been specially ear-marked to be returned into an account for ultimately liquidating the University debt." Again you are mistaken. During the Session of 1925 an Act was passed, intituled "University Endowment Lands Administration Act, Section 3 (1) of which enacts as follows:

"3 (1) There shall be established in the Treasury an Account to be known as the 'University Endowment Lands Administration Account,' into which shall be paid:

(a) The amounts collected from taxes imposed under the 'Taxation Act' on lands and improvements referred to in section 7 of this Act.

(b) The amounts derived from the disposition, whether before or after the passing of this Act, or any of the lands subdivided under this Act or under the 'British Columbia University Loan Act.'

(c) The amounts derived from payments heretofore or hereafter made to the Crown on account of local improvements pursuant to covenants entered into by the purchasers and lessees of the subdivided lands in respect thereof.

(d) The amounts derived from the maintenance or operation of any work or service for the convenience or use of the occupants of the subdivided lands, including all fees, rates and tolls payable under the regulations.

(e) The amounts derived from the payments of interest and repayments of principal in respect of the sums advanced by way of loans pursuant to clause (c) of section 2.

(f) Such amounts as the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may from time to time direct to be advanced to the said account from moneys available therefor under the 'British Columbia University Loan Act,' or by vote of the Legislature."

The provisions of Section 3 (1) of the above Act are being fully complied with. If you will refer to page 288 of the Public Accounts for 1926-27, you will find that an amount of 280,000 was advanced from the proceeds of the loan under the "B.C. University Loan Act, 1920" to the University Endowment Lands Administration Account as authorized by Section 7 (1) (a) of the said Act as amended in 1925, and also as authorized by sub-section (3) (1) (f) of the "University Endowment Lands Administration Act," being Chapter 58 of the Statutes of 1925.

It is regretted that you should again infer in your editorial of the 7th instant that the Comptroller-General must share the onus of such over-expenditures. Not a single dollar of over-expenditure has ever been passed by the Controlling and Audit Branch in connection with University accounts, and I may add that vouchers in excess of the authority were refused and remained unpaid until the money was legally provided. The fact that some person or persons may exceed their authority in committing their Department to expenditures beyond that authorized by the Statutes is not one within the control of the Comptroller-General, and it would be well you should realize the difference between over-commitments and over-expenditures.

We do not claim to be infallible, but wish it to be distinctly understood that in no instance have we failed in our duty as Comptroller-General.

There is every evidence to show that without first assuring yourself of the action taken from time to time in regard to over-expenditures, and extras on contracts, you have hastily arrived at erroneous conclusions, and without any foundation, in fact, you have conveyed to the public mind that the Comptroller-General has been derelict in his duty.

Will you not, even at this late date, approach this matter in a spirit of moderation and justice, admitting the facts as they are, and that the editorials in question were founded on incorrect information and without full knowledge of all the circumstances?

Before closing, I am compelled to ask if you honestly think you played the game in speaking of a trusted officer of the Crown as you have done in the editorials referred to, without having first satisfied yourself if he was, or was not carrying out the duties and responsibilities of his office? Is it manly and above board to make veiled suggestions "that the Comptroller-General appears to have become a rubber stamp in the hands of the Government"? and "whether or not he is simply a tool of the Cabinet"?; also that "the Comptroller-General is involved with the Minister of Public Works in the over-expenditures in connection with the erection of the B.C. University Buildings"?

I have, since August 1, 1917, served under three Premiers, not one of whom, nor any member of the Cabinet has ever approached me with any suggestion of wrong doing. My duties are carried out without fear or favor of any man, or combinations of men, even though they be Ministers of the Crown or Members of the Legislature. For ten and a half years I have felt that I held the confidence of the members on both sides of the House and I cannot believe that any one of them will be found to agree with unfair insinuations to which you have given such prominence.

May I ask you to give this letter equal publicity to your editorials by publishing it on your editorial page.

A. N. MOUAT,
Comptroller-General, Province of British Columbia.

Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1928.

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MR. ALFRED HOOD'S CHARGES

Sir,—It was stated, I believe, by The Daily Times that I would be given the opportunity of appearing before the public accounts committee to lay certain charges of a serious nature against Dr. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works.

Apparently, the committee does not take seriously what The Times states, nor does it take seriously my charges against Dr. Sutherland. So desirious, however, have I been that the Legislature deal with this matter before proroguing I even went the length of appealing to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor ten days ago, asking that I be given a hearing. Apparently, however, the Government is satisfied there is nothing to the charges and it is allowing them to pass as an hallucination, or the effects of a brainstorm in the mind of what they are pleased to call a disgruntled public servant.

For the purpose of letting the taxpayers learn how their Public Works Department is being conducted and how the public funds are wasted, it will be quite agreeable to me, for the present, to be put down as a sorehead, but let me assure the honorable members of the House there is no brainstorm about these charges, and as a final effort to get them before the House before prorogation, I am going to suggest that the two senior members for the City of Vancouver and the two senior members for the City of Victoria meet me anytime on Tuesday, March 13, but before prorogation, for the purpose of allowing me to place before them the serious charges, which charges I dealt with in my letter to His Honor on the 2nd inst.

My reason for suggesting these four senior members is, that a prominent Vancouver contractor is connected with these charges and the Vancouver members will represent him while the Victoria members can represent me. Failing this arrangement I request that the four Victoria members allow me to meet them, that I can fight it out on the floor of the House, and that, too, before the members leave for their respective homes. If no better place can be found for either of the above meetings, my home is at the disposal of the members. It is only ten minutes' walk from the Parliament Buildings, and my phone is 6057R.

A. HOOD,
Late Chief Clerk and Accountant, Department of Public Works.

633 Simcoe Street, Victoria, B.C., March 12, 1928.

A DISCLAIMER

Sir,—I wish to state through your paper that I am no relation whatsoever to the John Dunnett who is being charged in the Oak Bay police court.

J. DUNNETT.

R.M.D. 4, Gordon Head, March 10, 1928.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

STARS

However hard the blows of life may fall,
Or its decrees may seem,
The hand of Justice shows behind it all
Beneath the starlight's gleam.
For stars, so old and yet so ageless, still
Can soothe man's restless heart;
Its questioning and tumult they can still,
Can ease its ache and smart.
He can forget the force of circumstance,
Its prison walls and bars;
He can ignore the strange mishaps of chance,
Beneath the tender stars.

MR. JOHN WALTER HERE ON APRIL 9

SAINT JOHN, N.B., March 12.—John Walter, M.A., copropriator with Major the Hon. J. J. Astor, M.P., of The Times, of London, England, arrived here Sunday on the liner Montcalm, to begin a speaking tour of Canada under the auspices of the National Council of Education. Mr. Walter is accompanied by Mrs. Walter and his secretary, Miss G. Blair. He is to give his first address here Monday night.

Mr. Walter will, after a tour of eastern cities, speak in Winnipeg, April 2; Yorkton, Sask., April 4; Edmonton, April 6; Calgary, April 7; Victoria, April 9; Vancouver, April 13, and Regina, April 20.

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LIBERAL MEETING

Ward One Liberal Association will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, at 8 p.m., in the Liberal headquarters, Government and Broughton Streets.

Bishop Dies

LONDON, March 12. Right Rev. Francis James Chavasse, former Bishop of Liverpool, died here yesterday, aged eighty-one years. Dr. Chavasse was educated at Oxford and held honorary degrees from Cambridge University and the University of Liverpool. He was principal of the Wycliffe Hall, Oxford, prior to his appointment as Bishop of Liverpool in 1900. He retired in 1923.

Practically all the people of Beirut, Syria, will abandon the fez for the hat within two years.

APPROVAL OF HOUSE ASKED ON P.G.E. LOAN

Premier Regards Application for $4,000,000 as Provisional, Being Confident of Early Sale of Line

OPPOSITION FROWNS ON HASTY DECISION

Legislation Drafted to Give Full Discretion to Government With Regard to Applying Proceeds

"If this $4,000,000 is not spent in construction on the P.G.E. it will not be spent at all. If the sale of the line is effected the loan bill will lapse." This is the way in which Premier MacLean explained the P.G.E. loan bill for $4,000,000 on the motion of its second reading at the afternoon sitting of the Legislature yesterday.

"The confidence shown in the passing of this bill," he also stated, "would be no deterrent in securing a good bargain for the road."

The Premier said that he doubted if the money that was being asked to be authorized by way of a loan would ever be required.

In connection with the faith that he expressed in the sale of the road, the Premier repeated the statement made earlier in the session to the effect that before any deal was consummated in connection with the sale of the road that the Legislature would have the opportunity to pass upon it.

LEGISLATURE MUST RATIFY

"The sale will not be ratified until the Legislature pronounces upon the terms of the offer," said the Premier, who continued: "There can therefore be no objection to the loan bill."

The members of the House on the Government side, the Premier announced, had not been taken into his confidence with respect to the terms of the negotiations in progress. Only the members of the Government were so informed. This was not because he had not confidence in the members on his side of the House, but in matters of this magnitude it was wise to have information confined to a very few persons.

In explaining the bill, the Premier said that this was one of the largest problems that the province had to face. He had given a lot of attention to the matter while he was Minister of Railways for a time. Then since he became Premier of the province he had turned his attention for some time to the attempt to solve it.

There was no advantage, he said, in threshing old straw, and for that reason he did not go into the details connected with the problem.

The road, he said, was originally designed to be the connection with Vancouver of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and was to connect with that road at Prince George. The latter railway had got into difficulties, and in 1917 it had been merged with the C.N.R.

CONTROL OF RAILWAYS

In his investigations into the matter, the Premier said that he had reached the conclusion that no provincial government should own and operate a railway. In connection with a national line the matter of public ownership was a different thing.

There was, he said, associated with the matter of this road the return of the Peace River lands, and the railway lands. This situation he had attempted in the carrying out of his negotiations. He had, he said, had some success in this connection.

As a result of the negotiations that he carried on during the past six months he began to see light, and there was some prospect of disposing of the road.

Two months ago, as a result of these negotiations, he was very much encouraged, and he had hoped before now to have been able to announce the completion of a deal for the road. It was a large proposal, however, but he was convinced that the sale would be completed.

Of late years there had been no money spent on construction work on the line.

"I said in Vancouver a short time ago that failing a sale of the road that the proper thing to do was for the Government to proceed with the completion of it," said the Premier.

"This is what is in view in the asking for this loan, completion from Prince George to Vancouver."

During the negotiations for the sale of the line, Dr. MacLean said that he found that the land grant was of considerable assistance.

The debate was adjourned on motion of Mr. R. H. Pooley.

Under circumstances that Mr. R. H. Pooley, House leader of the Conservative opposition described as "an outrageous scandal," the Pacific Great Eastern loan bill was introduced into the Legislature at the morning sitting yesterday. The bill provides for the borrowing of $4,000,000 for the purposes of expenditures on the line of railway as the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council directs.

The bill was introduced by message from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor by Premier MacLean very shortly after the House entered upon its duties. As soon as it was introduced the leader of the Opposition attacked the proceeding by which the Premier in the dying days of the session would introduce such an important matter.

"We come here half awake," he said, after the House had been considering all kinds of important measures, and have this bill, of the utmost importance, put through.

"I want to go on record as protesting against this kind of things," said Mr. Pooley.

In spite of the protest of the leader of the Opposition, the bill was considered in committee, and reported back to the House for first reading, which was given the measure without delay.

The Premier proposed to give the bill its second reading immediately. This was prevented by Mr. Pooley, who pointed out that under the rules this could not be done, and the bill was blocked until another sitting of the House.

After the first reading, the Premier offered to make an explanation of the bill, but his attention was called by Mr. Pooley to the fact that the bill had already been put through the necessary stage required of bills coming in by message, and had passed its first reading. It was therefore not open to him to speak to it.

The Premier then announced that he would move the second reading of the bill, and speak to it on that reading, which also was protested.

Mr. Pooley's statement with respect to the proceeding which had been followed by the Premier in bringing the bill in at the end of the session, recited the fact that there had been all kinds of unimportant legislation that had been brought before the House during the session, while this most important matter was held back.

Mr. Pooley said it would have been very easy to introduce this measure last Friday, even. The members might then have had the week-end in which to study its provisions. But here was the House in its first morning sitting, with the end of the session forecasted in the newspapers, at any rate, as being likely on Tuesday or Wednesday, and the most important legislation before the House in years—dealing with a most serious problem—was being rushed forward at the last moment.

The Premier had indicated in the Budget speech that there would be important P.G.E. legislation. Measures of less importance, such as the Notaries bill, and so on, were brought down early in the session. These might well have been left to a later date, and the subject of the P.G.E. could have been considered earlier in their stead.

"It is an insult to the intelligence of the people of this province to bring down legislation of this character at this late moment," Mr. Pooley declared.

John Durrance Keating Farmer Is Found Dead

AN inquest will be held at 10 o'clock this morning into the death of John Durrance, aged fifty-five, farmer, of Keating district, who was found dead in his bed by his eighteen-year-old son, William, on Sunday.

The man was found undressed with a .22-calibre rifle gripped in his hand and a bullet hole in his head. Chief of Police Allan Rankin, of Saanich, was summoned to the scene and had the body removed to the B.C. Funeral Parlors, where the inquest will be held.

PUBLICITY GRANT IS TURNED DOWN

Request From the Victoria and Island Bureau Refused by Esquimalt Council

A request for a grant from the Esquimalt Council for publicity to be given the municipality by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau during 1928 was turned down by the councillors last evening. No money had been set aside for publicity in the estimates, and as a result the grant could not be made.

The public works committee report, read by Mr. Alex. Lockley, showed that $24,700 was needed for municipal road work and other work this year. The sum of $500 of this amount was granted to the parks committee for work on Bullen Park, should the committee find it absolutely necessary to use the amount.

A letter was read from the Shell and Home Oil companies, requesting that they be allowed to supply part of the gasoline and oil used by the municipal vehicles and public works machinery. The councillors were satisfied with the present source of supply and decided to make no change.

Mr. J. Colsford was refused permission to cultivate the municipally-owned lot on Head Street. However, it was decided to ask him to buy it, if he wished.

Another request from Mr. Paxton for a road to his property off Dockyard Road was turned down.

Bewdley Avenue will be improved and a street light will be erected at the corner of Armit Street.

The Tax Sale Lands By-Law was passed after the final reading.

Nanaimo Postmaster Relinquishes Post After Long Services

NANAIMO, March 12.—Mr. A. H. Horne, postmaster here for many years, who has been put on the retired list, yesterday, put in his last day at the office, and will now enjoy a long-deserved holiday. While Mr. Horne's retirement does not actually take effect until October 1, when a new appointment is to be made, he is at present on vacation, and Mrs. F. C. Missiemass, of Vancouver, will be temporarily in charge of the postoffice here.

BILLS APPROVED

Legislature Makes Progress With Several Measures in Committee

In the Legislature last night progress was made in putting bills through the committee stage, and in a few instances earlier stages.

The Loan Bill authorizing the borrowing of $4,600,000 for various purposes, passed through committee, and was reported.

The bill to amend the Coroners' Act also was reported with amendment.

In committee on the bill to amend the Game Act, Mr. Tom Uphill raised a point that required attention in the part of the country to which he belonged. This was the increasing number of does, as compared with bucks.

The Attorney-General said this could be attended by regulation, and the right to shoot an equal number of does with bucks was suggested.

The Municipal Elections Act amendment, as drafted by the select committee, passed its second reading and was referred back to the select committee for consideration.

Obituary

SEXSMITH—The funeral of Lydia Sexsmith will take place this afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, Vancouver and Johnson Streets, at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WOOD—Funeral service will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, for John J. Wood, whose death occurred last Friday evening at the family residence, 420 Vancouver Street. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROBLIN—The death occurred Sunday afternoon of Joana Roblin, a resident of this city for many years. She is survived by one sister, in the United States, and a cousin, Mr. P. Roblin, of Worcester, Sask. The remains are at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when Rev. A. de B. Owen will conduct the service. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

DUNN—A large number of friends attended the funeral of Thomas Dunn on Monday afternoon, from McCall Brothers', Funeral Home. Service was conducted by Rev. F. F. Fatt, assisted by Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, of Toronto, during which the hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Forever With the Lord," were sung; also "Abide With Me," as a solo, by Mrs. F. Sehl. The casket was banked with many beautiful floral tributes. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery with the following as pallbearers: Honorary, Messrs. S. O. Copas, M. Meredith, J. L. Beckwith, W. Richardson, F. Lovell and J. Scrivener, and active, Messrs. A. Bengough, A. Futcher, A. Bayliss, A. W. Roberts, A. Davidson and A. Cruickshanks.

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CANADIAN MANAGER OF METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO. SPEAKS

Value of Policy and Stock Certificate Contrasted by Mr. Henry E. North

The address given by Mr. Henry E. North, Canadian manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., before a meeting of the Victoria & Island Life Underwriters Association yesterday evening, was voted the best summary of the principles of insurance that members had ever listened to.

Nearly 100 members were present at the Chamber of Commerce for a banquet, including community singing, orchestral selections and solos by Mr. Jack Dobbie. Mr. Alex. Marshall, president of the association, introduced the speaker, Mr. North, who is third vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.

Mr. North chose as his subject "What we Should Be As Life Insurance Men," giving much helpful information to those engaged in the field work of the business.

"Everybody is going to die some time," he said, "and who will take the place of the breadwinner in the family circle? Some widows are left with stock that on appraisal proves to be worth less than the paper that it is printed on, but a life insurance policy which contains provisions for the paying of a certain amount of money each month is the answer to the problem." Mr. North continued by explaining the value and necessity of insurance for every wage earner.

At the conclusion of his address Mr. T. Humphries, of the Dominion Life Insurance Co., moved a vote of thanks to Mr. North, which was seconded by Colonel Lorne Ross, of the Great West Life Insurance Co.

QUESTIONS TO AGENTS PROTESTED

Attorney-General Accused by Mr. Twigg of Attempting to Undo Decision of House

On the report stage on the bill to amend the Insurance Act in the House last evening, the Attorney-General asked to strike out of the bill an amendment introduced in committee on motion of Mr. Twigg. The Attorney-General said he found that the difficulty could be rectified by regulations.

Mr. Twigg objected to this method of procedure by the Attorney-General, who sought to undo by this method something he objected to which had passed the House.

He then proceeded to deal with the subject matter which had reference to the schedule of questions, which were submitted to an agent annually to be signed before he got his licence.

This set out that the agent must have his application verified in the manner required by the superintendent. These were required to be sworn to. There were absurdities required, and on the face of the application an agent could not swear it conscientiously. The affidavit was a scandal to any department. These could have been amended since 1925, for they were repeatedly brought to the attention of the superintendent.

Mr. Twigg said his amendment took no power from the superintendent to discipline an agent who did not behave himself.

Mr. Ian Mackenzie moved the adjournment of the debate.

Anti-Oriental Motion Suggests Drastic Action

The amendment to the anti-Oriental resolution of Mr. C. F. Davie introduced earlier in the session appears on the order paper as a resolution standing in the name of Mr. D. McPherson, to amend the Davie motion.

It asks the House to go on record against further Oriental immigration and in favor of repatriating almost all of the Japanese and Chinese now here as well as of limiting the civil rights of those who remain, the assent of Japan and China to be secured by negotiation.

WINTRY STORM SWEEPS EUROPE

LONDON, March 12.—Winter storms and cold gripped much of Europe today, and their return snuffed out the lives of two flyers and defeated an English girl in her third attempt to swim the Strait of Gibraltar. Iceland enjoyed comparatively mild weather.

A French Paris-to-London air liner found the storm too severe to face, and landed its passengers near Calais Friday.

Yesterday, despite uncertain weather, Pilot Schmitz and Mechanic Perrade attempted to continue their flight. The storm was too severe to face and they landed in the sea, drowning them.

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CONSERVATIVE MEETING

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DRUG PEDLARS GO TO PRISON

Judge Lampman Sentences Wah Lung to Three Years in Penitentiary, and Yue Ling to Two-Year Term

WONG SEONG IS GIVEN ACQUITTAL

Wah Lung and Yue Ling were convicted by Judge P. S. Lampman, in the County Court here yesterday, on narcotic drug charges, and each was given a term in the British Columbia penitentiary in New Westminster.

His Honor found Wah Lung guilty of selling opium in Victoria on January 3, 1928, and imposed a sentence of three years' imprisonment and a fine of $350 and $50 costs, and in default of payment of fine and costs, an additional four months in prison.

Yue Ling was convicted of distributing opium here on the same date and was given a term of two years' imprisonment, together with a fine of $200 and $50 costs.

The third Chinaman who faced trial on charges of selling and distributing opium, Wong Seong, was acquitted. His Honor stated that there was some doubt as to Wong Seong's identification, and that the accused must be given the benefit of the doubt.

The three Orientals were arrested through the combined efforts of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Victoria police forces. Their trial on the narcotic drugs charges in the County Court, before Judge Lampman, occupied many sessions.

During the trial, Mr. Stuart Henderson was counsel for Wah Lung, Wong Seong and Yue Ling, while Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., conducted the case for the Crown.

Many Attentions to King of Afghanistan

LONDON, March 12.—London and indeed Great Britain at large will enthusiastically display before King Emir Amanullah and Queen Souriya of Afghanistan, who will arrive at London tomorrow from the Continent, as much of the wonderful beauty and treasures of the metropolis and country as can be seen within twenty days, the period of their visit. King Amanullah will voyage to Portsmouth in a submarine and will fire a torpedo before the eyes of his queen, who with the two princesses accompanying her, will be aboard a mine sweeper. The Prince of Wales will meet the royal visitors at Dover tomorrow. King George and Queen Mary, Premier Baldwin and his cabinet will greet the visitors at Victoria Station. Troops will line the whole way from the station to Buckingham Palace and six regimental bands will play.

GREEK VESSEL SUNK

ATHENS, March 2.—The Greek torpedo boat, Panarmos, struck a rock and foundered while making for the Island of Aegina last night. No lives were lost. The commander attempted to commit suicide with his revolver.

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Pavement Work On Douglas Street Is Authorized

DOUGLAS Street, between Fort and View Streets, and between Johnson Street and Pandora Avenue, is to be paved at a cost of $10,000. This decision was come to at last night's meeting of the City Council, but not until Mayor J. Carl Pendray had put up a strong fight against this vote. He contended that the street could be repaired and pavement work carried out only between the tracks. It was a sound business policy to get all the wear out of equipment that could possibly be obtained. In spite of his opposition, however, the vote carried.

WIN MEDALS FOR STOPPING TRAIN

Engineer and Fireman Honored for Efficiency Near Cranbrook Last Year

CRANBROOK, March 12.—For prompt, cool action in emergency, two British Columbia railway employees, Engineer A. K. Gray, and Fireman W. J. Alward, of the Canadian Pacific Cranbrook division, have been signally honored by the British Empire Mining Congress, members of which toured Canada last Autumn. Engraved gold emblems were presented to the two men at Cranbrook Saturday evening by C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent, Vancouver, on behalf of the congress.

When the congress special left Cranbrook for the West last September, a minor rock slide crashed onto the right of way just after the track had been reported clear by the patrol watchman and immediately in the path of the train carrying ten coaches of distinguished scientists and mining experts from all parts of the Empire.

The engine crew, alert and efficient, brought the long special to a stop without a jar. Exemplification of Canadian rail efficiency was rewarded by the Empire visitors when they learned later that danger had threatened.

Was Pioneer in B.C. Mission Work

NANAIMO, March 12.—The late Mrs. Edward Nicholas, who died in Victoria on Friday, March 2, in her eighty-ninth year, was formerly, in company with her husband, a missionary to the Nanaimo Indians. Mrs. Nicholas was in missionary work in British Columbia for over forty years.

LANGFORD SERVICES

A midweek service at St. Matthew's Church, Langford, will be held Wednesday afternoon during Lent.

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Special Mission for Women in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Blanshard Street, from March 11 to March 18, every night at 7:30 o'clock. For men the following week.

St. Patrick Tea will be given by the Women's Guild in the First United Church Hall Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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City & District

New Uniforms—W. A. Sprinkling, tailor, was awarded the contract to make thirty-four police uniforms at a total cost of $1,283.50.

Police Car—The City Council last night authorized the purchase of an Oakland six sedan for the police department. The cost, after deducting an allowance of $550 on the car formerly used by the police, is $1,220.

Vital Statistics—The city's vital statistics for the first two months of this year, as contained in the medical health officer's report, are as follows: Birth rate, 18.8 per 1,000 population; deaths, 14.2 per 1,000; marriages total 33.

Clean-up Week—The City Council last night voted $200 toward the "Clean-up, Paint-up Week," to be conducted by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. This money will provide facilities by which citizens may dispose of almost any kind of rubbish during the campaign.

Municipal Airport — The City Council last night left the appointment of three city representatives to a committee, formed by the Chamber of Commerce to encourage the establishment of a municipal airport here, to the discretion of the industrial committee. A meeting of the newly formed committee will be held in the Chamber of Commerce at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

New Buildings—Application was made by the Sidney Roofing and Paper Company to the City Council last night to construct a sample room and garage on its property on the Industrial Reserve. The application was referred to the public works committee for report. The plans have to be inspected owing to the fact that the factory is within the number two fire limits.

Land Sales—A lot on Prior Street was sold to Mr. George Ferguson for $800 at last night's meeting of the council. Two lots situated on Seaview Avenue were sold to Mr. William Rogers for $600. The sum of $2,000 was voted to the lands committee for advertising purposes. From this amount will be taken $500 toward a real estate convention coming here, and expenses for the land department exhibits at the Home Products Fair.

Tells of Florida—Mr. James Sherratt, manager of the Manufacturers' Life Assurance Company, who recently returned from a trip to Sarasota, Florida, where he attended the meeting of the Two Hundred Thousand Club, told of his visit there, and of the wonders of Florida State, at the Victoria Gyro Club luncheon yesterday. The clubmen considered plans for the forthcoming district Gyro convention, which will be held in Victoria on September 20, 21, 22.

Publicity Vote—Opposition to a vote of $2,000 for the publicitiy bureau was voiced by Alderman Marchant on the grounds that the public works department was being discriminated against. He reported that ten married men had been laid off because of the lack of council appropriations for work. He was not opposed to the publicity vote so much as he was to the discrimination. The vote of $2,000 carried, however.

Governor Invited—An invitation to attend the Pacific Coast International Governors' banquet, proposed to be held in Seattle as a feature of the Redwood Empire Caravan, has been received by Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce. The caravan, which leaves San Francisco on April 25, is scheduled to visit the States of Oregon and Washington and the Province of British Columbia. This caravan is designed to eliminate so-called political barriers, wipe out state lines and stimulate definite co-operative efforts on the part of the Pacific Coast area as a whole, as well as to promote a friendlier feeling and closer personal contact between the states and provinces of the Pacific Coast.

CONSERVATIVES ELECT OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Held at Metchosin —Addresses Given by Messrs. Pooley and Hinchliffe

METCHOSIN, March 12.—The annual meeting of the Metchosin Conservative Association was held in the hall on Saturday evening, and despite the inclemency of the weather, a goodly number of the residents were in attendance. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Honorary presidents, Hon. R. Bennett, Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P.; president, Mr. W. O. Sweatman; vice-president, Mrs. M. E. McVicker; secretary-treasurer, Mr. F. F. Frudd; executive, Dr. Gaddes and Mr. G. F. Weir; auditor, Mr. F. A. Pearce. At the conclusion of the business, Mr. J. Hinchliffe addressed the meeting on the subject of Old Age Pensions, and was followed by an able speech from Mr. R. H. Pooley, on the absentee voters' question. Both gentlemen were listened to with attention, and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded them. Delegates elected for the forthcoming convention at Colwood were Dr. and Mrs. Gaddes, Mr. and Mrs. Frudd, Mr. F. A. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Sweatman and Mr. G. F. Weir. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Gaddes, Frudd and Sweatman.

Sir Richard Squires Not in Negotiations

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 12.—In the Columns of The Telegram today Sir Richard Squires, who signs himself "Leader of the Liberal Party," denies that either he or any of those associated with him, were in any way responsible for the dispatch in The Montreal Star of March 2, stating that negotiations were about to take place with the Canadian authorities on the subject of confederation. This is the first public intimation that Sir Richard intends to again enter the political field.

TO GIVE DISPLAY OF RUG-MAKING

Demonstration Under Women's Institute Auspices at Chamber of Commerce Wednesday

Under the auspices of the board of directors of the Island District Women's Institute, and in co-operation with the industrial group of the Chamber of Commerce, a demonstration in the making of Chinook and other home-made rugs will be given in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium on March 14, at 3 p.m. Numerous interesting demonstrations will be given.

Instruction in the use of both rags and yarn will be given. Mr. M. Taradash, now demonstrating the modern method of punch work at Hudson's Bay Store, will illustrate the use of the yarn.

Mrs. J. C. Whitman will show the oldest method of making home-made braided rugs in woollen and cotton rags. This demonstration will include the hand-sewing method with stout thread, and the later and stronger method of securing the plaits by means of stout twine. Mrs. H. J. Pinhorn, president of Royal Oak Women's Institute, will exhibit and demonstrate the making of an English rug entirely of yarn. Mrs. W. Peden, president of Victoria Women's Institute, will demonstrate the crocheted rug. Mrs. M. L. Murray, secretary, board of directors, Provincial Women's Institute, by whom the idea of "Chinook Rugs" was originated, will be present to report on progress to date. Mrs. Murray will have four burlap patterns and completed articles, showing the "Chinook Rugs" in Indian colors and designs.

As it is the hope and ambition of the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes of British Columbia eventually to produce rugs in B.C. Indian patterns, of B.C. grown wool, colored by B.C. dyes, and made by B.C. women, representatives of the B.C. Wool Growers and the B.C. Dye Works, respectively, have been asked to be present.

The Victoria School of Art has been busy for some time on Indian design. The Provincial Archives and Museum have been searched for authentic material, the result being a collection of interesting, effective and artistic designes.

Mrs. Ina D. Uhthoff, principal, will be in charge of the exhibit, and will give information on the history and meaning of the various Indian drawings from which the designs were adapted.

BOYS' WORK BOARD IS REORGANIZED

A. R. C. Hebden Is Returned as Chairman—Constitution Undergoes Changes

The Boys' Work Board of the Religious Educational Council held a reorganization meeting at the Y.M.C.A. last night. The Mentors of Tuxis and Trail Rangers groups from First United, James Bay, St. Aidans, Metropolitan, Centennial and Oak Bay United churches and members of the Y.M.C.A. were present. The constitution was revised to give the Mentors of Tuxis and Trail Rangers groups direct representation on the board. The year will commence on March 1 and not November, as in previous years.

The following were elected officers for the ensuing term: Chairman, A. R. C. Hebden; vice-chairman, Vivian Shoemaker; secretary, H. Whitefield; treasurer, W. C. Thompson; executive members, H. W. Ralston, S. J. Schroeder and E. Drummond. The next meeting of the board will be held on April 9, when the chairman will present the new programme of boys' Tuxis work. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for an intergroup athletic meet, to be held about May 24, in co-operation with the National Athletic Contest being held throughout Canada at that time.

Recital at Crystal Garden

Nearly 600 parents and friends of the pupils of Miss Florence Clough attended the recital at the Crystal Garden Auditorium recently. The programme opened with a demonstration of the routine technique, followed by ballet and acrobatic routine. Ballet, old-fashioned and jazz costumes were the handiwork of Mrs. D. Latham, and the performers, with the spotlight operated by Mr. A. Munn, presented living pictures of much beauty. Baritone solos by Mr. Rose during the intervals were appreciated by the audience, as were the orchestral selections. Miss Clough was presented with a basket of flowers by her pupils; Mrs. D. Latham alo received flowers.

Solo dances were: Acrobatic, Irene Holness; toe dances, Lillian Laird and Loreen Lumley; Neola, Pearl Chisholm; jockey dance, June Fulton. Others in partner dances were: tiny Glenys Smedley and Patricia Cooney in a dainty minuet; Violet Green, Margaret Tonman, Muriel Nott, Thora Larman, Daisy Barr, Frances Whale; Vera Holness and Christine Schmelz; the following taking part with those in the ballet and other group dances: Marjorie Nott, Barbara Allen, Sheila Sneddon, Annie Petch, Betty and Georgina Cooney, Bernice Sinclair, Betty and Margaret Smedley, Doreen Broadfoot, Edna Quire, Alma Pullen, Flora Clarke, Jessie Cox, Dorothy McIlwain, Edith and Hazel Dodgson, Dodo Lee, Doris Kitt, Hazel Edwards, Agnes Finn and Phyllis Johnson. In the Egyptian playlet, which concluded the programme, the principal parts were taken by Daisy Barr, Sheik; Christine Smelz, princess; solo dancers, Lillian Laird, Vera Holness, Pearl Chisholm and Thora Larman; special slaves, Violet Green and Jessie Cox.

The proceeds will be given to the Solarium.

To Speak at Ward Three

Dr. Ernest Hall will address Ward Three Liberal Association this evening at 8 o'clock at the Liberal headquarters. There will be an executive meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

The police received a report last evening of the disappearance of a blue Pontiac car, No. 19-884, from outside the Union Club, between 6 and 7 o'clock, the property of Mr. C. F. Davie.

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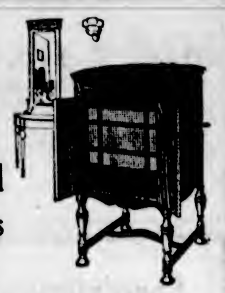

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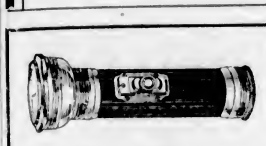

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EGYPTIAN TREATY

GENEVA, March 12.—Speaking to newspaper men in regard to the rejection by the Egyptian Government of the proposed Anglo-Egyptian treaty, Sir Austen Chamberlain, British Foreign Secretary, said Saturday: "I had hoped that by the treaty we might bring a new member into the League of Nations and that it might be seen that another nation, Egypt, would enter this session.

"Unfortunately," Sir Austen continued, "the Egyptian Government rejected the treaty between Sarwat Pasha and myself. I regret it and I believe Sarwat regrets it as much as I do. The treaty offered great advantages, not only to our two nations, but for the international situation.

"We had agreed that in any case of dispute it should be referred to the league. If we had not been able to agree as to whether British troops should be placed, the League of Nations was to decide. I could not give a better mark of the confidence of the British Government in the League of Nations."

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Women's Clubs and Societies

Children's Party

On Saturday afternoon, the children of the Protestant Orphanage were guests of Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45, at their annual party in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street, from 3 until 8 o'clock. Cars provided by the members transported the children to the hall, where festive paper caps were distributed and a programme of games and contests entered into with great zest. At 5:30 o'clock supper was served in the dining hall at tables prettily decorated with crepe paper in the lodge colors, pink and green. Following supper, a Charleston contest provided the judges with a difficult task, after which the children themselves turned entertainers, rendering a clever impromptu programme, including folk dancing, a harmonica duet, vocal solos, and motion songs, and a dialogue by two of the tiniest. Presents were then distributed to every child, and the evening was brought to a close with the singing of "O Canada." Sister Bickle and Brother Wilby, in short speeches, complimented the matron and staff of the Orphanage on the splendid behavior of their little charges, to which Mrs. Walker, of the Home committee, responded, thanking the committee and members of Carne Rebekah Lodge for the delightful entertainment, the children expressing their appreciation in three rousing cheers for Carne Lodge.

SOOKE

A St. Patrick dance will be held in the Sooke Hall under the auspices of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute on Friday. A good orchestra has been engaged and refreshments will be served. Dancing will commence at 8:30 p.m., and continue until 12:30 o'clock.

Women's Clubs and Societies

Juvenile Entertainment

The members of Court Liberty, juvenile Foresters, held their monthly meeting on Friday last. Four new members were initiated. After the meeting a recital was given by the pupils of Miss Florence Clough, the following taking part: Lovely Lady dance, Pearl Chisholm, Violet Green; Hawaiian jazz, Lillian Laird, Thora Larman; minuet, Irene Holness, Christine Schmelz; Rainbow dance, Dodo Lee, Margaret Smedley, Flora Clarke, Barbara Allan, Edna Guyer, Jessie Cox, Dorothy McIllwaine, Sheila Sneddon; Valse Blue, Lillian Laird, Pearl Chisholm, Doris Kitt, Vera Holness, Dodo Lee, Violet Green, Irene Holness; Nola dance, Pearl Chisholm; Polly jazz, Violet Green, Lillian Laird; acrobatic dance, Vera Holness, Frances Wale; Blue Heaven, Christine Schmelz, Barbara Allen, Sheila Sneddon, Thora Larman; toe dance, Lillian Laird.

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Catholic Women's League

The Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League of Canada held its regular monthly meeting in the parish rectory last Wednesday evening, when satisfactory reports of activities were given and votes of thanks passed to Mrs. Charles E. Urbin and Mrs. Alex McDermott. Before closing the meeting, Rev. Father Evans, rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral, gave an interesting discourse on the work of the league. He also spoke of the movement for a Catholic scholarship to encourage higher education, and hoped it could be arranged in the near future to put more than one scholar through a university. A few words of appreciation of Father Evan's kindness in addressing them were given, on behalf of the members, by the president, Mrs. McKenna, and the meeting adjourned.

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St. Mary's Junior W.A.

St. Mary's Junior Women's Auxiliary, Somenos, held a meeting at the home of Mrs. G. A. Tisdall, "The Grange," on Friday afternoon. The members of the Junior W.A. received badges given by the senior Women's Auxiliary to those who had been attached to the branch for a year or more. The badges were presented by Mrs. A. Bischlager, who spoke to the children about their work. After the meet Mrs. Bischlager was presented with a beautiful flowering plant by the members. They were entertained to tea by Mrs. Tisdall, and games finished a very pleasant afternoon. Those receiving badges were: Edna Eveleigh, Doreen Young, Kathleen Young, Esme Mutter, Audrey Mutter, Helen Tisdall, Leslie Gates, Vivien Gates, Eileen Ford, Dorothy McKinnell and Betty Goddard.

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Lodge Primrose

The quarterly meeting of Lodge Primrose, No. 32, D. & M. O.E., was held last Friday in the S.O.E. Hall, the worthy president, Mrs. Oliver, presiding. A large attendance of members was present, also a visitor from Lodge Princess Alice, No. 5, Nelson. Two new members were initiated into the order. It was decided to hold a dance after the next social meeting, March 23, convened by Miss A. Gough, assisted by the younger members; also a whist drive for members and friends who do not dance, convened by Mrs. Wright. Prizes will be given.

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Grand Concert

The Loyal True Blue will give a concert in the Eagles' Hall on Friday at 8 p.m. The programme is as follows: Violin solo, Mr. Jack Pullen; song, Mr. Guy; dance, Miss Bird and Miss Dale; trio, Mr. Blyh, Mr. Hill and Mr. Clarke; the McLean Entertainers; song, Mr. While; monologue, Mr. Blyh; banjo selection, Mr. Watt; duet, Mrs. Barley and Mrs. Jackson; song, Miss Mutch; skeich, "Wooing Under Difficulties," by seven members of the lodge. Admittance will be by programme at the door.

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Hollywood Bazaar

The Ladies' Aid of Hollywood Presbyterian Sunday School will hold a bazaar in the hall, Wildwood Avenue, Foul Bay, on Thursday at 3 p.m. The usual novelty, home-cooking and candy stalls will be in evidence. A good musical programme will be given at 4 o'clock, and also a dramatized story and two stunts by the older girls and boys of the Sunday school and C.G.I.T. group. Afternoon tea will be served. Donations to the tea or stalls will be welcomed.

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Fellowship Club

The Fellowship Club will hold a silver tea and card party on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. Brown, 1010 Balmoral Road. There will be games and a programme for those not interested in card games, for which there will be prizes. This tea is to be given for the benefit of the aged infirm patients in the two wards of the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

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Mooseheart Legion

A branch of the Women of Mooseheart Legion has been formed at Port Alberni by Deputy Grand Regent J. F. Pearse, of Victoria. The officers elected are: Senior regent, Mrs. M. Robinson; past regent, Mrs. H. Gilfillan; junior regent, Mrs. R. Hamilton; chaplain, Mrs. A. A. Hanbrook; recorder, Mrs. E. Brownsey; treasurer, Mrs. M. Hamilton; guide, Mrs. J. Nelson; sentinel, Mrs. H. Coburn; argus, Mrs. E. Hansen.

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Current Events Club

The Conservative Women's Current Events Club will hold its regular monthly open meeting on Friday, at the Y.W.C.A., at 8 p.m. Miss Olive M. Snyder, general secretary of the Social Service League of Victoria, will speak on the work, and in addition there will be a good musical programme. An invitation is extended to the public to attend this meeting.

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Knox Ladies' Aid

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, Knox Presbyterian Church, Sooke, a St. Patrick Day entertainment will be given in the church. The programme will consist of Irish songs, recitations and games. Refreshments will be served and a silver collection will be taken. A cordial welcome will be accorded all who attend.

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Daughters of St. George

The Daughters of St. George, Nanaimo, through their worthy president, E. Perris, presented a member, Francis Millburn, with a purse, on the occasion of her departure to Vancouver, where she will take up her residence. A social evening followed.

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Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The monthly meeting of the Porter Chapter, I.O.D.E., met at the home of Mrs. Alex. Work recently, seventeen members being present. There was not much business to be transacted, a donation for the Solarium being handed in by one member. Tea was served by the hostess.

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Missionary Meeting

A meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Victoria West United Church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Newell, Craigflower Road, tomorrow afternoon at 2:45 o'clock. An address will be given by Mrs. J. Hood.

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Columbia W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Columbia W.A. Diocesan Board will be held on Friday, March 15, at St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, at 11 a.m. At the afternoon session Mrs. Laycock will be the speaker.

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St. John's Guild

The members of the St. John's Guild will hold a sale of fancy work and novelties suitable for Easter gifts, on Saturday, March 31. All articles will be sold for one dollar or less. The location of the sale will be announced later.

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Catholic Women's League

The Esquimalt Catholic Women's League will hold a rummage sale on Saturday at 650 Johnson Street, next to the St. James Hotel. Parcels should be left at headquarters before 4 o'clock on Friday.

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St. Luke's Silver Tea

A St. Patrick's Day silver tea will be given on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. P. Bradshaw, Palo Alto Drive, Mount Tolmie, in aid of St. Luke's W.A., Cedar Hill.

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Sooke W. A.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Holy Trinity Church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. F. A. Butler on Wednesday, at 3 o'clock.

Eastern Star Tea

A St. Patrick's tea will be held under the auspices of Queen City Chapter, No. 5, Order Eastern Star, at the home of Mrs. Jack Birnie, 2714 Asquith Street, Friday, from 3 to 6 p.m. Members and friends are invited.

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St. Martin's Guild

St. Martin's Guild will hold a daffodil tea and home cooking stall in St. Martin's Hall, Obed Avenue, on Wednesday, March 21, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Songs and recitations will be given.

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Silver Medal Contest

The Rockland Park W.C.T.U. will hold its silver medal contest on Friday, March 30, in the Metropolitan Sunday School. Fuller particulars of this will be given later.

Three Birthdays Are Celebrated at Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Brachat, of 430 William Street, entertained at a delightful dance in honor of the birthdays of their daughter, Margaret, and sons, Victor and Ernest, on Friday evening in Stanley's Hall. The hall and reception rooms were beautiful with Spring flowers and decorations. The table was centred with three birthday cakes and pink candles in crystal candleholders, and pink streamers added to the beauty of the table decorations. Among those invited were Mr. and Mrs. H. Maynard, Mrs. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sewell, Mrs. F. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. R. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanley, Mrs. D. Wood, Mrs. Schaffer, Mrs. J. Fields, Mr. J. Fields, Misses B. Tait, Emma Muir, Doreen Calwell, Dora Dalby, Dolores Pettingel, Kathleen Ringshaw, Ina Haikala, Helen Patterson, Zelma Purdy, Audrey Sullivan, Neil Muirhead, Norma Sewell, B. Hygh, D. Sheldon-Williams, E. Lemm, M. Head, I. Ridgway, B. Ridgway, N. McCulloch, E. Welch, E. Steele, E. Hill, P. Copeland, M. Dixon, V. Vivian, L. Love, M. Cameron, E. Bland, B. Campbell, L. Hughes, M. McLean, L. Cruickshanks, A. Wood, B. Stewart, K. Torrent, and Messrs. Muirhead, Brachat, Maze, Turgoose, Copeland, Armstrong, Wood, Moir, McCulloch, Bissell, Monks, Baker, Maynard, Jackson, Heatley, Topp, Killick, Kinsman, Phillips, Dresser, Mattack, Prior, Stokes, Carson, Grant, Campbell, Wells, Pascoe, Roach, Pearce, Noel, Day, Pettigrew, Ruckinson, McConnell and Bleasdale.

Hold Social Gathering

Ward One Conservatives held a social gathering at the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, at which an attractive programme was carried through. Miss Hay gave toe and Dutch dances, Miss Webster a sword dance and Highland fling, Miss Peck a pianoforte solo, Miss Barr a song, Miss Watson a jazz dance, and Misses Helen and Fay Ockenden a Russian dance. Refreshments followed the dancing.

Annual Reception

The Young Men's Christian Association will hold its annual reception to members and friends on Friday evening. A varied programme, including gymnasium work, swimming, and entertainment will be offered. The social programme will be in charge of Mrs. J. O. Cameron, who will be assisted by artists from the Women's Musical Club. Refreshments will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

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Bachelors of Chemainus Give Entertainment

CHEMAINUS, March 12.—Quite the most delightful dance held here for many years was that given on Friday last, when the Chemanius Bachelors' Club entertained about 350 friends. The club members are worthy of the highest praise for the careful planning evidenced in every detail, nothing being overlooked which could add to the thorough enjoyment of those present. The music, decorations and supper were all a great credit to the various committees in charge. The dance hall provided a delightful setting, the walls being covered with flags, evergreens and gaily colored crepe paper streamers, and the ceiling with festoons of red and yellow bunting, the lights being covered with yellow shades. Allen's seven-piece orchestra from Nanaimo provided music which left nothing to be desired, and dancing was kept up from 9 p.m. until 3 a.m. The supper hall was decorated in much the same manner as the dance hall, three long tables being set for supper. The tables were laden with dainties, Mrs. Jacobson and Mrs. Murray being in charge of the catering. Vases of Easter lilies and daffodils were placed at intervals on the tables, and the club members acted most ably as waiters in supplying the needs of their guests. During the evening, Mr. P. W. Anketell-Jones spoke a few words, saying he felt that the entertainment should not end without an evidence of the general appreciation of the generous hospitality shown. He therefore proposed a vote of thanks and three hearty cheers for the hosts. An enthusiastic response followed.

The various committees in charge were: Invitation committee, Messrs. Bob McBride, W. Wilson, R. B. Waldon; reception committee, Messrs. R. Waldon, W. H. Rice, G. Wilson, J. Laysley and W. Wilson; floor committee, Messrs. Bob McBride, J. Philips, J. McKinnon, W. L. James and J. Atkinson; catering committee, Messrs. W. Wilson, Bob McKinnon, W. White, C. Loughton, J. Atkinson; president, D. A. Gatus; secretary, W. H. Rice.

Members of the Bachelors' Club who were present and who subscribed to the dance were: Messrs. G. Archibold, J. Atkinson, J. Arbuthnot, H. Bevan, F. Brown, J. Band, L. Carey, G. Clarke, V. Carnac, K. Cathey, C. Cave, D. Cree, F. Chapman, J. Campbell, R. Clegg, C. De Vere, R. English, J. Frew, D. Gatus, G. Gibson, A. Glaswick, Erskine, E. Howe, Hood, A. Howe, L. Hallberg, J. Hocevar, F. Hands, F. Halked, S. Irvine, W. James, R. Jones, L. Jacobson, C. Loughton, J. Lapsley, C. Mitchell, W. Murray, A. McKinnon, W. McNeill, J. McKinnon, B. McBride, R. McBride, G. Norcross, E. Pinkham, J. Philips, C. Pritchard, A. Robinson, C. Ridgeway, D. Reed, A. Rowbottom, G. Robinson, W. Robinson, J. Reed, J. Randle, L. Roone, J. Rayer, W. Rice, D. Stevens, C. Shileto, A. Smith, A. Stonier, J. Stevenson, Rose, J. Toynbee, N. Thompson, S. Tickle, L. Trudat, W. White, C. Wright, C. Wilson, P. Wylie, R. Waldon, G. Wilson, W. Wylie and T. Waller.

Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Allester, Mr. and Mrs. Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. Attwater, Mr. and Mrs. Adam, Mr. and Mrs. Aitken (Duncan), Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Bonde, Mr. and Mrs. Beacham, Mr. and Mrs. Behman, Mr. F. Bonde, Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Bonsall, Miss Burnside, Miss Berto (Ladysmith), Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Berry (Nanaimo), Mr. L. Buckle (Victoria), Miss A. Crabbe (Ladysmith), Mr. and Mrs. J. Coles, Mr. and Mrs. Cherrington, Mr. and Mrs. Craig, Mr and Mrs. J. Cathcart, Mr. and Mrs. P. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Clute, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cathcart, Mr. and Mrs. Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Cave, Mr. and Mrs. J. Celle (Ladysmith), Mr. and Mrs. D. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark (Duncan), Mr. and Mrs. Donoghue, Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. Dobinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dougall, Mr. and Mrs. Dabinett, Mr. and Mrs. Devitt and Miss Devitt (Duncan), Miss Day (Duncan), Miss Dwyer, Mrs. Dyke (Crofton), Mr. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie (Duncan), Mr. and Mrs. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. Dobell (Westholme), Mr. and Mrs. F. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Miss M. Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. English, Mr. and Mrs. Eberts, Mr. and Mrs. Ell, Mr. and Mrs. Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Gill, Miss C. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Greenhorn, Mrs. Gilroy, Miss Greig, Mr. and Mrs. Grey, Miss R. Gibson (Ladysmith), Mr. and Mrs. Halbied, Mr. and Mrs. Heslip, Mr. and Mrs. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Halberg, Mrs. Humbird, Mr. and Miss Hastings (Tyee), Mr. and Mrs. Harrison (Nanaimo), Mr. and Mrs. Heggie, Miss Hattie (Duncan), Mrs. and Miss Haddow (Nanaimo), Miss Haynes, Miss Harris, Mrs. B. Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Anketell-Jones, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Jacobson, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. Jansch, Mr. and Mrs. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Koch, Mr. and Mrs. G. Knarston (Nanaimo), Miss Pauline Kaull (Ladysmith), Miss Anna Kier (Duncan), Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw, Mr. and Mrs. J. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Longrigg, Miss Landy, Mr. and Mrs. McLoughlin, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. McGladery, Mr. and Mrs. McEwan, Mr. and Mrs. McInnes, Mrs. McBride, Miss P. Moore, Mr. Mainguay, Mrs. McKinnon, Miss G. McInnes, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Maffer (Nanaimo), Miss Lee, Miss Ridley, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholls, Mr. and Mrs. Porter, Misses M. and E. Porter, Mr. Parkinson, Miss Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard, Miss Pitt, Mr. and Mrs. Proteau, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, Mr. A. Paul (Nanaimo), Mr. and Mrs. Parman, Miss Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Ridgway, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe, Mr. and Mrs. G. Read, Mr. S. Robertson, Miss M. Robinson (Ladysmith), Miss Radovitsch, Miss D. Reid (Ladysmith), Mr. J. Rossan, Mr. F. Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. Skillen, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, Mr. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Sandilands, Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Spurling, Mr. and Mrs. Slinger, Mr. C. Southin, Mr. and Mrs. Toynbee, Miss Toynbee, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas (Ladysmith), Mrs. J. Taylor, Miss Mabel Tuck (Nanaimo), Mr. J. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Vater, Mr. and Mrs. E. Vauden (Nanaimo), Mr. and Mrs. Whan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Work, Mrs. Wyllie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wynne, Miss A. Watson (Duncan), Mr. Walter Whan (Duncan), Miss E. White, Mr. and Mrs. E. Waldy (Duncan), Mrs. M. Weeks (Crofton).

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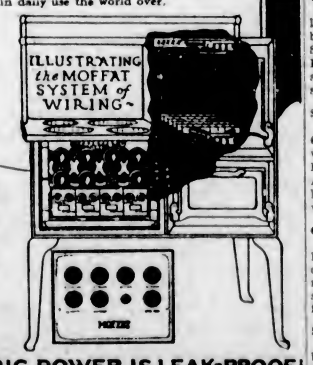

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Take Part in Gymkhana

Society is looking forward to the gymkhana, which is to be given on Saturday evening at the Victoria Riding School, when among those taking part in the musical ride will be Misses Helen Macdonald, Claire Moody, Louie Pollard, Elaine Gallher, Maple Winterburn, Peggy Jackson, Joan Humphreys, Anne Brown, Stephanie Campbell, Barbaraa Twigg, Mrs. MacConnan and Miss Hutchins; in the apple and basket race will also be Miss Betty Streatfeild and Miss Rowena Horsey; Miss Iris Burton, Miss Margot Robertson, Miss Claire Moody and Miss Helen Harris will give an exhibition of jumping, and Major Spurgin will show his skill at tent pegging and lemon slicing. Among the boys taking part will be Messrs. Carpenter, Bryden, Drum, Branson and MacPherson.

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Farewell Party

Mrs. H. M. Wright, 37 Wellington Avenue, entertained on Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Stanley Ewing, who will leave today to make her home in Vancouver. Bridge was enjoyed by the guests, after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Rita Williams. During the evening Mrs. Ewing was the recipient of a beautiful picture, given as a token of esteem by her many friends. The invited guests were Mrs. Ewing, Mrs. A. Alexander, Mrs. George Armstrong, Mrs. H. Bentley, Mrs. George Beveridge, Mrs. H. Law, Mrs. W. Matheson, Mrs. A. Richardson, Mrs. P. Sharpe, Mrs. R. Thomson, Mrs. Jack Scrivener, Mrs. H. M. Wright Misses Winnie Ewing, Nan Ross, E. Richardson, A. Mackay and Rita Williams.

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Read in Dramalogue

Those reading in yesterday's dramalogue, which was the last of the Winter season, were Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. W. H. Squire, Mrs. H. F. Crowe, Mrs. P. F. Howden, Captain Thorpe-Doubble, Captain Ramsay, Mr. Frank Richardson and Major Bullock-Webster. The play chosen was Galworthy's "Escape," which told of the hard-fought fight for freedom of a Dartmoor convict from prison, and his ultimate capture. The parts were admirably read, and the dramatic incidents of the play were followed with the keenest interest by the large gathering of members and friends.

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At Belvedere Hotel

Week-end guests registered at the Belvedere, Sooke, included Mr. J. C. Conley, Seattle; Mr. W. A. Thompson, Mr. J. G. Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrison, Mr. R. H. Todd, Mr. J. W. Bridgman, Miss E. M. Bruce, Miss Wiseman, Miss O. Thomson, Miss K. Bogue, Mrs. E. Healey Kerr, Mr. E. W. Inkler, Miss E. Steele, Miss A. Steele, all of Victoria, and Mr. R. E. Barker, of Vancouver.

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To Reside Here

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. V. York, formerly of this city, and recently of Vancouver, expect to make their home here in the near future. Mrs. York, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Leslie Gault, Woodlawn Crescent, for a week, will leave for the Mainland today and will return to Victoria next week to join Mr. York.

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In London

Among the British Columbians who recently registered in London are Mr. A. V. Despard, Vernon; Mr. J. Grisdale, Miss Barbara Hogg, Miss E. Reid and Mr. Malcolm R. J. Reid, Vancouver.

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At Seacroft Apartments

Mrs. D. S. McKellar, and little daughter, Elizabeth Ann, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Arkman, of Winnipeg, have taken a suite in the Seacroft Apartments, Oak Bay.

Married in England

The many friends of Mr. J. R. (Bob) Price, R.C.N., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Price, 3136 Stevenson Place, will be interested to hear of his marriage on March 11, in London, to Miss Gloria (Gladys) Edwards, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, 44 Oxford Road, Islington, England.

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Hostesses to Friends

Mrs. John Wright, Burnside Road, and Mrs. John Bate, View Royal, were joint hostesses to seventy-five of their friends on Thursday evening in Hampton Hall. Supper being served at midnight.

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Return From Westholme

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hartley have returned from Westholme, where they spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hutchinson at "Swallowfield."

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Entertains at Tea

Mrs. Charles E. Wilson entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon, following the last dramalogue of the season, which was given at the Empress Hotel.

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Returns to Duncan

Miss Marjorie Alexander has returned to her home at Duncan after spending the week-end with relatives in Victoria.

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To Visit Islands

Mr. Randolph Stuart left yesterday morning on the Ss. Charmer, for a short visit to the Gulf Islands, Mayne and Galiano.

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From Toronto

Mr. A. H. Miller, of Toronto, Ontario, left yesterday for Vancouver after spending the week-end at the Metropolis Hotel.

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From Vancouver

Miss Nichol, of Vancouver, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Hon. Walter C. Nichol and Mrs. Nichol, Rockland Avenue.

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Return to Mill Bay

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. George have returned to their home at Mill Bay, after spending the Winter months in Victoria.

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Recovering From Operation

Mrs. Timms, of Strawberry Vale, is recovering from an operation in the Jubilee Hospital.

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Here From Montreal

Mrs. E. Mercer, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. T. Benson, Beach Drive.

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Receives Appointment

Lieutenant Maurice A. Wood, R.C.N., has been appointed to H.M.S. Royal Sovereign.

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To Return to British Columbia

Major-General F. A. Sutton sailed from England on the Ss. Baltic on March 3.

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Here From Hope

Mr. Allan K. Stuart, of Hope, B.C., was a week-end visitor to Victoria

N. Galiano Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Eddleston and their son and daughter, of Egerton, Sask., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allison, of Portier Pass lighthouse for the past week. After visiting in Victoria and Vancouver they will leave for Edmonton.

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Mrs. Allison spent a week in Vancouver recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baines have taken up residence in Ladysmith.

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The many friends of Mr. Appleby will regret to learn that he has been been sent to Tranquille from Ganges Hospital.

Langford Personals

Mr. D. Willson and family have taken up residence on Langford Lake.

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Mrs. Hamilton, of Burnaby, Vancouver, was the guest of Miss Douglas at her home on the Goldstream Road last week.

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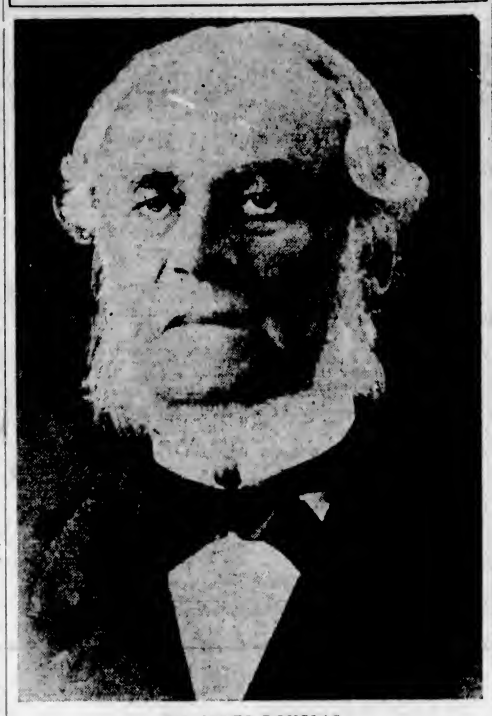
Miss V. Knevitt was the guest of Mrs. H. A. Hincks at the week-end.

Memory Will Be Honored



SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

The annual birthday tea in commemoration of the founding of the city of Victoria will be held tomorrow at the Empress Hotel, from 3 to 6 o'clock, under the auspices of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E. An attractive programme has been arranged, and those taking part will include Mrs. D. B. McConnan, convener; Mrs. P. McQuade, Miss Barbara Fraser and the Misses Mary and Velma Bucklin, who will contribute instrumental solos; Miss Helen Starr, Miss Carol Tolmie, Miss Jean MacLachlan and Miss Elsa Michaelis will give an old-fashioned dance, with vocal accompaniment by Mrs. Brian Tyrwhitt Drake. Miss Dorothy Scott will play the accompaniments.

News for Women's Page of Colonist Must Not Be Held

ITEMS for the Women's Pages of The Colonist, including social, personal and club announcements, should be sent in when they constitute news. Stories of the events of the week—accounts of marriages, meetings and social doings—should reach this paper on the day they occur, or, if that is impossible, on the next day at latest. News should never be held back for publication on Sunday as, unless it is considered as of more than average importance, it may be crowded out of the paper.

Benefit Fund Will Be Formed By Alumnae

At the annual meeting of the Jubilee Hospital Alumnae Association, held last evening at the Nurses' Home of the Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. W. A. Chambers was elected president of the society; Mrs. Lancaster, first vice-president; Miss K. Wright, second vice-president; Miss Carley, secretary; Miss Gilman, assistant secretary; Mrs. A. M. Johnson, treasurer; Miss Legge-Willis, sick nurses' committee. The alumnae decided to convene a corner at the Jubilee Hospital tag day. Votes of thanks were passed to Miss Mitchell for her assistance during the year, and to the press. It was decided to redecorate the Alumnae Ward in the hospital and arrangements were made for the dinner which will be given for the graduating class in the near future. The work for the coming year will be directed towards the establishment of a sick benefit fund for graduate nurses.

Chemainus Social News

Mrs. Dallas Skillen was the guest of honor at a delightful tea given by Mrs. T. Robertson last Wednesday, when the guests included Mrs. Long, Mrs. Sawyer, Mrs. Dabinette, Mrs. Attwater, Mrs. Jack Cathcart, Miss Hazel Cathcart, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. L. Robinson, Mrs. McEwan, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Donoghue, Mrs. Elliot and Mrs. McMillan.

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Mrs. R. Jarratt entertained at a tea recently in honor of Mrs. D. Skillen, when the invited guests included the local members of the Sunset Chapter of the Eastern Star, of which Mrs. Skillen is a charter member. A pleasing little ceremony during the afternoon was the presentation to Mrs. Skillen of an Eastern Star pin.

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Recent Chemainus visitors in Victoria included Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Cryer, Mr. and Mrs. Dobinson, Mrs. G. Read and Mrs. Casswall.

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Miss Jean Donald, of Victoria, visited friends in Chemainus during the week.

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Mrs. Rivett-Carnac, who has been ill in Victoria for some weeks, returned to Chemainus on Sunday, and will remain in the local hospital for some time.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Skillen, who have made their home in Chemainus for some years, left for Victoria on Saturday. They will spend a holiday there for a week or so before settling elsewhere.

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Mr. A. Hill, of Victoria, visited Mr and Mrs. Grey during the week-end.

St. Andrew's Church Is Scene of Wedding

Last evening St. Andrew's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding when Dorothy Scott, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Melville, became the bride of Mr. Walter Holder, third son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Holder, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. Smith Patterson.

Entering the church on the arm of herfather, to the Wedding March, played by Mr. Jesse Longfield, the bride made an exquisite picture in her French wedding dress made with long waist of crepe de Chine in white with poudre blue georgette with three pleats in front with white crepe de Chine insets and an over-jacket of poudre blue georgette with white crepe de Chine roll collar and cuffs. A small hat of white braid trimmed with poudre blue and French flowers, was worn, and her bouquet was composed of Ophelia roses and maidenhair fern.

The church was prettily decorated by girl friends of the bride with daffodils, narcissi, fern, Oregon grape and pussy willow.

The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Arthur Davidson, who wore a French dress of ashes of roses flat crepe with accordion pleated skirt edged with blonde silk lace, with which was worn a small transparent black hat trimmed with French flowers. Her bouquet was of pink-mauve tulips and fern. Mr. Harry Holder, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

During the signing of the register, Mrs. C. Harold Tait, sister of the bride, sang very sweetly, "Tessa."

After the service a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 129 Clarence Street, where the bride and groom received the felicitations of their many friends standing beneath an arch of Oregon grape and roses from which was suspended a white bell. They were assisted in receiving their many friends by Mrs. W. Melville, who wore a gown of rosewood flat crepe with becoming hat to match, and Mrs. Walter Holder, Sr., wearing a dress of black silk with smart hat to match. A three-tier wedding cake occupied the centre of the table, and was cut by the bride. During the reception, solos were rendered by Mrs. W. Wright, Mrs. C. H. Tait and Mr. A. W. Trevett.

Mr. and Mrs. Holder left on the midnight boat for Vancouver en route to Seattle, Mrs. Holder traveling in a dress of blue georgette, with navy blue tailored coat and smart navy silk hat to match. Upon their return they will reside in the city.

Among the many out-of-town guests were Mr. W. Melville, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mrs. C. Harold Tait, of Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, of Montreal.

Among the many beautiful gifts received by the bride and groom was a silver tea service from the fellow-members of St. Andrew's choir, of which the bride and groom are both members; a silver casserole from the bride's former fellow-employees of Angus Campbell & Co., and a silver basket from the members of the V.A.S. Co., with whom the bride has been connected for some years.

Weddings

SHAW—PEATT

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday evening last at eight o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 869 Craigflower Road, when Rev. J. R. Robertson, uncle of the bride, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, united in marriage, Alma Muir, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Peatt, and Mr. Sidney Heaps Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Shaw, of Gatley, Cheshire, England.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in her gown of ivory georgette with deep flounce of Chantilly lace finished at the waist with silver ribbon and caught with lovers' knots and streamers. Her long tulle veil, which was beautifully hand embroidered, was bound to the head with a garland of orange blossoms. A shower bouquet of sweetheart roses and freesias completed the bridal attire.

Miss Marjorie Robertson, cousin of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a period costume of lavender and shot taffeta. The bodice was long and close fitting, and the skirt full and uneven of line, edged with little rose-colored French flowers which also finished the neck. Her bouquet was composed of carnations and sweet peas.

The groom was supported by Mr. Gladstone Peatt, brother of the bride, and during the signing of the register, Mrs. Sydney Sherratt sang "O Promise Me," accompanied by Miss Florence Muir, who also played the wedding marches.

The reception rooms were tastefully decorated with Spring flowers, and the ceremony was performed beneath a wedding bell of freesias and carnations. Following the ceremony the young couple were assisted in receiving their many guests by the bride's mother, who was becomingly gowned in black Canton with corsage bouquet of carnations and violets, and Mrs. John Stuart, in yellow georgette with tiers of lace on the soft folds of the skirt. The table, centred with a three-tier wedding cake, had for floral decoration sweet peas and maidenhair fern with pink tapers in silver scones.

The door was opened by two little nieces of the bride, Norma McPherson, in green crepe de Chine, and Iona McDiarmid, in lavendar crepe de Chine.

Those who assisted in serving refreshments were Miss Beth Simpson, who also rendered vocal solos during the evening; Miss Mae Simpson, Miss Elsie Jenkins Miss Emily Anderson, Miss Mackay, Miss Lily Wilson, Mrs. Glastone Peatt and the Misses Eileen and Vera Mesher.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw left by the midnight boat for Vancouver, en route to New York, where the honeymoon will be spent, and on their return will reside at 1403 Arm Street. For traveling the bride wore a costume of navy blue georgette and seal coat trimmed with mink, the gift of the groom, and close fitting hat of Grecian rose.

Among the many handsome wedding gifts received were a percolator from the Hudson's Bay Company, where the bride has been employed for a number of years, a walnut tea wagon from the members of the First United Church choir, of which she is a member, and a silver tea service from the office staff of the Canadian National Railways, where the groom is employed.

MUSICAL RECITAL

The Unity Centre announces that a musical recital will be given by Madame Cordeau, at their headquarters, 600 Campbell Building, on Wednesday at eight o'clock. It will consist of various instrumental selections and several songs by Madame Cordeau. These will be rendered by Mr. Frank Tupman, soloist of this city. There will be no admission fee.

ERROR CORRECTED

The reference on this page to the miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Wright and Mrs. E. Estlin in honor of Miss Dorothy Melville should have read as follows: "On Wednesday evening Mrs. Wright and Mrs. E. A. Estlin were hostesses at the home of Mrs. Wright, 1121 Collinson Street, in honor of Miss Dorothy Melville, whose marriage will take place shortly."

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"Aftermath"

By MRS. J. O. ARNOLD

"When my son was alive he did occasionally bring men friends here," Mrs. Denison said, "but since his death no young people have visited in the neighborhood, I think. His great friend, David Arkle, has lived in America since the war."

That was a new name to Norma. Hilary had not spoken of his friend.

"David and Jonathan they used to be called," Sarah said and would have added, "hideous substitute for Hilary, "but for his mother's presence.

"David, I am glad to say, came back safely," Mrs. Denison said. Her thoughts were upon the familiar words, "One shall be taken and the other left."

Norma had braced herself to hear every kind of allusion to Hilary. His mother would naturally speak of him. After all, she had come to learn more about his people and his home than in their all-too-brief time together he had been able to tell her.

"I have a piece of news for you," Sarah announced suddenly. "I saw Mr. Arkle this morning, and he told me that David will be home in a week or two. It seems ages since he was last here."

Mrs. Denison flushed with pleasure. "That is good news indeed," she said warmly. "It will be good to see him again—dear old David."

"He isn't really old, you know," Sarah said quickly to Norma. "He was a year or two younger than—"

She stopped suddenly. How was it that Hilary's name would keep cropping up?

"Than Hilary," Mrs. Denison said with composure.

"Mr. Arkle was in a high state of delight," Sarah continued. "He had so much to say about David that he forgot to launch out into one of his usual arguments."

"He would hardly do that when with you, my dear," Mrs. Denison said, which proved that Sarah was really an unknown quantity as far as she was concerned. She was quite unaware that when in the society of David's father—long past middle age, bald, fat, but very rich—Sarah assumed the character of a perfect listener, and instead of trying to stay the wild career of his hobby-horse, trotted along beside it, encouraging it with sympathetic sounds, even an occasional deliberate pat. That was why David's father always spoke of her as a downright sensible girl it was a pleasure to talk to. Had he divined that in the depths of her mind the downright sensible girl glimpsed—no more, even Sarah did not dwell upon these things—him lying in an expensive chain-surrounded grave, herself his young widow garbed in yet more expensive mourning (not too heavy, and not to be worn longer than three months), nursing a fat sorrow, and with one weeping eye upon his banking account, he might have succumbed prematurely to shock before fulfilling his part of the programme. To such straits had the Adamless state of Ryedale reduced Sarah Bulfill.

For the moment, however, Mr. Arkle, senior, had retired from Sarah's calculations in favor of his son. David was really quite an eligible person—an excellent sample of the second generation, with all his father's most admirable traits and none of his social shortcomings.

When tea appeared, Lucy Titherington came with it.

Miss Titherington kept up an amiable flow of inanities as fluent as fertile. She was a new experience to Norma, who came to the conclusion that although excessively developed in person, her mind had remained infantile. She found herself wondering what Hilary had thought of her—he had only briefly alluded to "my mother's companion" with a kindly indifference.

Already she was beginning to picture what his life had been in this serene country home. She could imagine him as a child, a year or so older than Bunny, playing in these beautiful old gardens, happy in this charming old home. Perhaps later on Mrs. Denison would tell her more about him—show her things that had been his, even share intimate, almost, sacred, confidences with her. There was already sympathy between them—a sacred drawing together by mutual love for Hilary. Yet an impassable gateless barrier stood between them.

"This is always a trying time for dear Mrs. Denison," Miss Titherington whispered to Norma with a shake of her head. "You see, her son was killed two years ago this month, and she always remembers—"

"Naturally."

"Some mothers get over their loss wonderfully, and are quite cheerful when they say their boys died glorious deaths. But Mrs. Denison isn't like that. I once read of a person bleeding inwardly. That describes her case exactly. I'd rather it was outward, you know; it's safer, don't you think? As to Colonel Denison, I can't say I'm sure what he feels. He never says a word. Captain Denison might never have existed, certainly not have perished nobly for his country, for all you get out of him."

"Men are seldom demonstrative."

"No, of course not. It's for us women to feel deeply, isn't it? I know life seems all changed to me since Captain—"

Her voice trembled, so, too, did a tear in her eye. Happily at that moment Mrs. Denison asked Norma if she would care to see the garden.

Yes, she would, very much, thanks. So they passed out through doors that formed the lower part of one widely-opened window, and Norma walked alone with her hostess, Sarah going off upstairs with Miss Titherington to inspect a new hat of the latter's, and perjure her soul with pretended admiration.

"This was my son's garden when he was quite a little boy. He used to sow his name here in mustard and cress. We have never had this corner altered. It has always been Hilary's."

It was as well perhaps that pride and defiance were arrayed against tenderness in Norma's soul, or the sight of that small, carefully tended garden might have broken down the barriers. As it was, she remained very quiet. What had she to say to this bereaved mother, she who also suffered?

They moved on together. The gardens, it appeared, were full of thoughts of Hilary—in the meadow beyond the shrubbery he had first ridden his Westmorland pony . . . the old bowling green had been his first cricket pitch, the orchard furnished accounts of his climbing . . . wherever they walked Mrs. Denison found something to tell Norma about her son.

Was it wrong thus to accept the confidences of Hilary's mother? But for her belief that Mrs. Denison would never know the truth Norma would have hesitated. After all, did they not both love Hilary? Might she not have this one happiness to think of later when she would have left Ryedale? Above all, was she not strangely compelled?

"My son never married," Mrs. Denison was saying in her charmingly modulated voice. "I wish now that it might have been otherwise. Perhaps then another little Hilary might have loved this garden too."

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It is just nineteen years since the King's Daughters held the first flower and daffodil show at the Empress Hotel, then just newly opened, and with the exception of two or three years during wartime they have held a daffodil or flower show annually ever since. Although they have modified their original undertaking this year to a scale of cut flowers, they are commemorating their older undertaking by presenting a trophy for competition at the Spring flower show which has been organized on a big scale this year by the Vancouver Island Cottage Gardens' Association.

Hold Sale of Work

The Ladies' Aid of Hollywood Presbyterian Mission will hold a sale of work and afternoon tea in the Mission Hall, Wildwood Avenue, on Thursday. A musical programme will be given.

BOWLING CLUB

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Kitty McKay

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

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Top Side Round Steak, lb. 35c
Round Steaks, whole, lb. 30c
Veal Chops and Cutlets, lb. 38c
Pork Chops, trimmed, lb. 35c
Loin Lamb Chops, per lb. 50c
Rib Lamb Chops, per lb. 45c
Loin Mutton Chops, lb. 40c
Rib Mutton Chops, per lb. 30c
Stew Beef, per lb. 25c
Minced Steak, per lb. 20c
Hudsonian Pork Sausages, per lb. 35c
Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. 30c
Beef and Pork Sausages, per lb. 20c

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women Delight in Harvey's Well-Cut Undergarments

Harvey's Underwear is so dainty, neatly made, and reliable in every way, that thousands of these garments are sold every season to appreciative women. The following lines are quite inexpensive, but they represent the quality that has made the Harvey name so popular.

Harvey Ribbed Combinations at $1.00
All styles in this popular weight cotton knitted combinations for Spring and Summer wear. Opera tops, tailored straps or short sleeves, with tight or full knee. All sizes 34 to 40. Price, per pair 1.00

Fine Cotton Lisle Combinations at $1.50
Another line of Harvey Finely Tailored Combinations in a one-and-one rib cotton lisle. Tailored strap and tight or loose knee, opera top and short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. Priced at $1.50

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Made from fine ribbed Egyptian cotton, with short sleeves, strap shoulders, or opera top. The opera style with rayon stripe is shown in pink, orchid, peach and white. Priced at, each 50c

Harvey Cotton Ribbed Bloomers at 50c a Pair
Full Cut Bloomers in fine cotton, ribbed, in plain or rayon stripe and finished with gusset. Colors are white, peach, orchid, pink and sky. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, per pair 50c

Harvey Silk and Lisle Bloomers at $1.25 a Pair
This is one of the most popular of Harvey's lines, favored by many women in place of much higher priced silk garments. Full fashioned in a fine ribbed silk and lisle and finished with reinforced gusset. Colors are powder, peach, mauve and white. Sizes 36 to 44. Price, per pair $1.25

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Novelty Linens for Home Use, Gifts and Linen Showers

Pure Linen Bordered Luncheon Cloths
Of fine even texture and finished with colored borders in shades of blue, green and gold. Size 52 x 52 inches. Each, $1.39

Pure Linen Luncheon Sets
Made from fine Oyster linen and finished with novelty borders in blue and gold. Ask to see these wonderful values.
Size 36 x 36 inches and 4 napkins $2.95
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Pure Linen Hemstitched Pillow Cases
Of fine texture. Size 44 x 33 inches. Price, per pair $2.25

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Finished with colored borders of blue and gold. Price, each 25c

Blue Bird Luncheon Cloths
Ideal for general and camp use.
Size 36 x 36 inches. Price, each 49c
Size 45 x 45 inches. Price, each 75c
Size 54 x 54 inches. Price, each 98c
Size 60 x 60 inches. Price, each $1.25
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Napkins to match, per dozen 79c

Fancy Linen Towel Sets
These sets are quite unique in beauty and interest. They consist of two guest towels and one face towel in neat folders. On the outside of the folders are pretty Irish scenes, making these sets very attractive as gifts or in the home. Price, per set, $1.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Frocks for Your Furniture

Do not be afraid to let the Spring sunshine into your rooms, but rather brighten them up by having fresh slip covers on your furniture.

This can be done at very reasonable cost. Our workrooms are splendidly adapted to handle this work, and we guarantee you every satisfaction. We have a wonderful assortment of fabrics in shadow cloth, hand-blocked chintz, damasks, striped denims, etc. Come and make your selection.

50-Inch Shadow Cloth at $1.35 a Yard
An ideal cloth for slip covers, heavy enough to avoid wrinkling, warp printed and warranted to wear well. Width, 50 inches. Special Price, per yard $1.35

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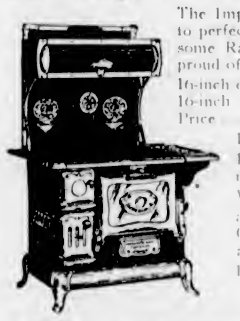
For smaller pieces of furniture the 31-inch width will sometimes cut to better advantage. This is a real bargain. Special Price, per yard 75c

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Our Imperial Range for $5.90 Down



The Imperial Range is economical in fuel and bakes to perfection. Moreover, it is one of the most handsome Ranges on the market—one to make you feel proud of your kitchen.

16-inch oven, with plain back. Price $59.00
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Waterfronts fitted to any of the above ranges at $5.00

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—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Dinnerware Distinctive and Delightful

A Constant Joy to Hostess and Guests

English Bone China and Earthenware Dinner Services from the well-known "Minton" and "Spode" Potteries. You will appreciate the unusual beauty of these Dinner Services when you see them arranged for your inspection in our China Department.

"Garland" Pattern
A beautiful white body bone china with wonderful glaze finish. In a dainty decoration, a narrow conventional border design in bright colors of green, blue, yellow and red, with festoons of bright colored flowers and small floral spray as a centre piece; all in lustrous enamels. This is an open stock pattern and may be bought in separate pieces.
Full 97-piece dinner and tea set. Price is $197.00
52-Piece dinner and tea set $107.50

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Open stock porcelain from the famous Copeland Spode pottery. A beautiful fluted ivory-tinted body with even scalloped edge. Deep blue woven wicker design band placed about ½-inch in from edge is most effective. Handles and cover knobs trimmed with blue line. Extry heavy glaze finish. A particularly artistic design.
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52-Piece dinner and tea set $81.00

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Art Silk and Wool Hose for $1.00 a Pair

Unshrinkable seamless hosiery with high spliced heels and double soles. Nice fitting and just the required weight for immediate wear. Popular new fawn, grey and natural color tones. Sizes 8½ to 10. Price, per pair $1.00

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Duplex Fabric Gloves for $1.50 a Pair

Fully shrunk double woven fabric gloves, hand sewn with black. Strictly tailored gloves with one pearl button fastener. Colors are drab, oak, fichelle and grey. Sizes 5½ to 7½. Price, per pair, $1.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Printed Silk and Crepe de Chine Ties

New arrivals in charming all-over and conventional designs and in a wide choice of stunning new color variations. Correct in width and length. These beautiful new ties will be highly popular for Spring wear. Specially priced at, each, $1.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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The Latest French Importations

Charmingly different yet with a conservative style that is distinctly pleasing. Come and see the many realistic Spring colors in this collection. Prices ..... 95c and $1.25

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Women's New Umbrellas

Charming Spring styles in Chubby Umbrellas with fascinating handles that cannot fail to please the most fastidious taste. Good gloria covers and amber tips and ferrules. Choose from colors of green, red, navy or brown. Specially priced, each, at $4.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Freedom and Comfort in Women's Golf and Sports Shoes

Golf has assumed an important place among the pleasures of the open spaces, but to enjoy golf as you should you must feel absolutely free and untrammeled and you MUST HAVE THE RIGHT SHOES to give freedom and comfort to the feet.

These Shoes are constructed with this thought in mind. Absolute freedom, springiness and comfortable support. They have the famous Gro Cord Duplex and crepe rubber soles and heels and are made of good quality colored leather.

The question of appearance has received its share of consideration. The colors offered are tan, fawn, beige and chrome, combined with two-tone overlay, strap and trimmings. The effects are very smart. Prices, per pair ..... $6.50 to $9.75

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

For St. Patrick's Day March 17

Remember Your Irish Friend With a Greeting Card

Plan a St. Patrick's Day Party

We have seals, place cards, decorated crepe paper, harp and shamrock cutouts and party caps. What fun to make "a little corner of "Ould Oireland" in your home with the aid of these simple and inexpensive devices! Come in good time and lay your plans well and you will give and get much pleasure.

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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Steamships Playing Cards
Canadian made. Price, per pack 35c

Colonial Bridge Playing Cards
Canadian made and linen finished. Price, per pack 50c

"Bicycle" Air Cushion Playing Cards
Canadian made. So easy to deal! Price, per pack 75c

Tally and Place Cards
In unique and colorful designs in a wide choice of styles. Prices, per dozen, from 25c to 50c

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

RISKO GAINS DECISION OVER JACK SHARKEY

CLEVELAND BAKER PUTS BOSTON GOB FROM ELIMINATIONS

Risko Cuffs and Clouts Way to Surprising but Decisive Victory — Incessant Body Attack Proves Too Much for "Shark" in Fifteen-Round Mauling Match

10,000 Mildly Interested And Bored Fans See Fight

Battle Contains Few Thrills and Only One Spill—Jumping Johnny Willing but Either Backpedals or Misses Like Tyro—Winner Is Credited With Nine Rounds

By ALAN J. GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, March 12.—Fat, pudgy Johnny Risko cuffed and clouted his way to a surprising but decisive victory tonight over the subdued Boston sailor, Jack Sharkey, in a fifteen-round mauling match. While a crowd of barely 10,000 looked on, mildly interested and occasionally bored, the big rough and tumble man from Cleveland battered Sharkey out of the heavyweight elimination tournament with an awkward but nevertheless tireless and frequently effective attack.

It was a battle of no particular thrills, and only one spill, that one experienced by Sharkey when he took a count of three in the tenth round, half from the effects of a left hook and half from slipping feet. It was a wrestling, mauling, hit and miss battle most of the way, too drab and unexciting to add any lustre to an already somewhat listless and lifeless heavyweight elimination tournament.

AGGRESSIVENESS WINS

Risko won because of his aggressiveness, but he also outpunched and outgamed the big Boston sailor. Jumping Johnny, at least, appeared anxious and willing to make a fight of it, but Sharkey, except for a few flashes, either back-pedalled or missed like the youngest tyro.

There was no doubt of Risko's margin. On the Associated Press score sheet, Risko was credited with nine rounds and Sharkey with the remaining six.

Johnny staggered Jack with vicious left swings and hooks in the second, eighth, ninth, tenth and thirteenth rounds.

ROUND ONE

Grimly intent on his business, a different looking fighter from the man who jogged against Tom Heeney, Sharkey tore from his corner to nail Risko with a right to the body. Johnny got mad and buried his left hook deep in Sharkey's ribs. Sharkey bent double, grunted, and took two smashing left hooks on the chin as he straightened up. Again Risko drummed a heavy left hook to the pit of the Boston gob's body. Jack came in close, both hands to Risko's head and dropped his right dangerously near the foul line. Risko, thoroughly aroused, was smashing him heartily about the body at the bell.

ROUND TWO

Risko was taking a lesson from Heeney's book, forcing the fighting and clubbing steadily to Sharkey's body. Johnny nearly dropped Sharkey with a left hook to the chin that sounded all over the house. Two more lefts to the body and another short right to the chin hurt Sharkey badly. He fell into a clinch, clinging tightly as he tried to shake the cobwebs from his brain. Risko played his left carefully to the body as Sharkey danced away. Sharkey was wild with a left hand but clubbed two massive rights under Risko's heart just before the bell. The punches sent Johnny to his corner looking a bit pained.

ROUND THREE

Risko met Sharkey's plunging attack with a left slug into the ribs. Jack bounced up and down, stabbing with his left and ripping a short right to the heart as Risko piled all over him, impervious to punishment. Sharkey's right hand punching to the body slowed Risko a bit, and he went on the defensive. Sharkey boxed about him in dazzling fashion. He dropped a right on Risko's heart that hurt the doughnut maker, at the bell.

ROUND FOUR

Sharkey met the Cleveland youth at his own game. They hammered rights and lefts to the short ribs for almost half a minute. Sharkey was careful after that and danced away. As Risko followed, a left and a right crashed full in Johnny's head and nearly toppled him. He swayed a bit on his legs as the Boston gob belted his body in an effort to open the way for a finishing shot. When the opening came Sharkey missed a full right smash to the chin by inches and Risko fell inside, swapping them to the body, safe for the time being. The bell rang as they drummed each other in the ribs.

ROUND FIVE

Sharkey looked a complete master of the situation as he boxed cleverly away from Risko's lead. But Risko, bidding in his own style, suddenly lined a left hook deep into Sharkey's body. They swapped freely at close range. Risko blinked dizzily as rights and lefts suddenly crashed to his chin from all sides. Sharkey set the baker back continually with a straight left jab, and then crashed his right resoundingly under the heart. Risko was quite mussed and grinning crookedly at the bell.

ROUND SIX

Sharkey made the pudgy Austrian look flat-footed and clumsy as he bored him and twisted him around at will in the clinches. Johnny manfully dove for close quarters, pinned the sailor on the ropes and hammered both hands to the body. A short hook opened a cut over Sharkey's right eye. The referee warned Risko and the crowd booed disapproval as Johnny sprayed a backhand across the eye. Sharkey tried to box carefully at long range, but Risko stormed into flail him about the body with short upper hooks. Sharkey was staggered a bit, but he scared Risko away at the bell.

ROUND SEVEN

Sharkey was careful again. He lost it, however, when Risko suddenly got inside his guard and fired both hands to the body. Jack screwed up his face, apparently in pain, and complained to the referee. The referee motioned on, and Risko flashed another left-handed volley into the Boston boy's head and body. Sharkey nailed Johnny with a short uppercut coming in, but he could not keep Risko from lathering his ribs with more short hooks. The crowd booed derisions as Sharkey held desperately under the storm of body punishment.

ROUND EIGHT

Sharkey tore in a left hook full to the body, but Risko hustled him right into a corner for another dozen of body battering. The battle was strictly a matter of body bruising and both fired their huskies—the shots to ribs. Sharkey whipped two terrific hooks into Risko's body as he came off the ropes. Johnny piled back, his short arms whipping in flailing arcs to head and body. Sharkey kept both his hands across his mid-section as he went back to long range firing. He flung a grueling right under Risko's heart at the gong.

ROUND NINE

Sharkey drilled over a left hook to the chin, and Risko promptly went wild. He bowled the Boston boy into the ropes, ripping and tearing at his body with both hands. That looping left hook whacked twice full on Sharkey's chin as they struggled out to the centre of the ring. Then Sharkey went to the body, his left and right nestling solidly under Risko's short ribs. Two full smashes hurt the Westerner, and a right uppercut shook him coming in, but with one full left smash to the chin he nearly knocked Sharkey clean from the ring a few seconds before the gong sounded. The smash dizzied Sharkey, and did more damage to his injured right eye.

ROUND TEN

Risko flailed into Sharkey at the bell, chased him into a corner and sunk him for a count of three with a left and right to the body. Sharkey apparently slipped under the blows, for he came up unhurt and rapped Risko with his arms plunging like pistons on the stomach. Three times, as Risko missed right swings, Sharkey buried his left hook full in the pit of the rubber man's body. Sharkey danced around, plenty of action in his knees, while Risko hung on heavily, stung by the body blows, until the bell.

ROUND ELEVEN

Risko boxed a little, didn't get far and drove his old favorite left hook back into Sharkey's body. For the hundredth time, at least, they fell together and crunched short pokes to the body. As they drew their heads back, blood trickled down from a bad cut over Risko's right eye. Sharkey took heart at the sight and ripped into Risko's stomach with both hands. Risko appeared to be losing steam under Sharkey's relentless and clever attack, while the flow of blood from his damaged eye made him blink frequently. Sharkey went to his corner fresh and dancing at the bell.

ROUND TWELVE

As they fell in close at the opening gong, slashing and poking to the lower regions, the battle of Sharkey's short right to the heart appeared to be edging out ahead of Risko's left hook to the pit of the stomach. Jack lashed out a straight left and again hammered his left to his favorite spot. Risko closed in desperately and nailed Sharkey with a left hook that threw the sailor into the ropes. Gaining new momentum, Risko pounded Sharkey's body. They looked each other over for a moment, then fell in close again to club at each other's ribs up to the gong.

ROUND THIRTEEN

The battle was failing absolutely to disclose anything spectacular in the way of a heavyweight contender. Sharkey stabbed and stabbed with his left until Risko walked into him with a volley of lefts and rights to the head and body that suddenly shook the Boston sailorman. He bounced back into the ropes, came out in a dive as Sharkey stabbed with his left. Risko again dropped in close with both hands drilling to the pit of the stomach. Sharkey held continually in the clinches, but landed another crashing right to the chin just before the final bell.

LA ROCCO WINS

George La Rocco, New York heavyweight, won the decision over Johnny Gorsso, of Mount Vernon, in a gory eight-rounder.

Passes Out of Eliminations

JACK SHARKEY

BELIEVE IT OR NOT — — — — — By Ripley

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Tonight's Big League Hockey

TORONTO vs. Ottawa, at Toronto.
Montreal Maroons vs. New York Americans, at Montreal.
Montreal Canadiens vs. New York Rangers, at New York.
Boston vs. Detroit, at Boston.

SAANICH OUT TO WIN CUP

Will Take on Hudson's Bay Tomorrow in Crucial Game—Victory Will Give Them Hayward Trophy

RENNIE & TAYLOR TO MEET TILLICUMS

Saanich United, undefeated leaders of the Hayward Cup midweek soccer series, will battle the Hudson's Bay at the Royal Athletic tomorrow in a crucial struggle. The youngsters from Saanich have accounted for each of the teams, and tomorrow will play their last match in the series. Should they be successful in lowering the colors of the green and gold, they will capture the Hayward Cup. If the Departmentals take the points it will create a tie for first place honors.

Rennie & Taylor and the Tillicums will settle their differences at Beacon Hill. The Bakers, after their surprising defeat at the hands of Saanich United, are taking no chances in further setbacks and are trotting out their complete line-up. Both games start at 2.45 p.m. Hewison will referee at the Royal Athletic Park and "Scotty" McKay at Beacon Hill.

CRUICKSHANK AND ARMOUR WILL MEET SARAZEN, FARRELL

MIAMI, Fla., March 12.—Tommy Armour and Bobby Cruickshank won their way into the final round of the international four-ball tournament here today by defeating Harry Cooper, of Buffalo, and Al Espinosa, 3 and 2. Sarazen and Johnny Farrell will be their opponents, having won from Macdonald Smith and Bill Mehlhorn, 2 and 1.

London Typist Gives Up in Third Attempt

TARIFA, Spain, March 12.—Miss Mercedes Gleitz, London typist, abandoned her third attempt to swim the Straits of Gibraltar when within a mile and a quarter of the African coast yesterday. The rough sea and unfavorable currents were blamed for her failure.

British Marathoner Captures Ninth Lap

Arthur Newton Finishes Well Ahead of Seattle Negro in Los Angeles-New York Race—Canadian Runner Comes in Third

OATMAN, Ariz., March 12.—Arthur Newton, the gaunt Rhodesia road runner, today, after ferrying across the Colorado River into the State of Arizona, broke into the machine-like stride to lead the field to the ninth control of the coast-to-coast Marathon race. The ninth stretch started at Needles, Calif., 20.5 miles distant. Newton completed the day's lap in four hours, forty-three minutes and thirty seconds, to bring his elapsed running time since shoving off on the transcontinental jaunt from Los Angeles to forty-nine hours and thirty-two minutes.

Ed Gardner, Seattle negro racer, came in second today, covering the distance in five hours, three minutes and thirty seconds. His total elapsed time became fifty-five hours, thirty-five minutes and thirty-six seconds. David Davies, of Sandwich, Canada, finished third, in five hours and seventeen minutes; Nestor Erickson, Finnish runner, Port Chester, N.Y., fourth, in five hours and twenty-one minutes, and Peter Gavuzzi, of Southampton, England, fifth, with a time of five hours, twenty-two minutes and twenty seconds.

Arne Souminen, another Finn, entered from New York City, was sixth to cross the timing mark here today. His time for the 20.5-mile stretch was five hours, thirty minutes and fifteen seconds; Earl Dilks, of Newcastle, Pa., finished in five hours, thirty-seven minutes and thirty-five seconds. Andrew Payne, Clearmont, Okla., shot into the control station ten seconds later for eighth place. Ninth place in today's leg went to F. Simpson, Burlington, N.C., with five hours, forty-five minutes and twenty-five seconds, and eleventh to Phillip Granville, walking champion of Canada, who put in five hours, fifty-five minutes and fifty-five seconds, on the road.

Why Wait Till Fall to Learn Flag Winners

(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

Tom Kearney, of St. Louis, made up the Winter book on the big league pennant race which I have reproduced above. His figures seem to me about right, and I think fans who like to lay a bet with friends on the outcome of the next season's races will find it profitable to study them.

Kearney figures that the Pirates and Yanks have a good chance to repeat. His percentages also take into account the effect of the loss of Hornsby on the Giants. As the wire was crossed last Fall, the Giants were traveling at the best pace in the National League, but with Hornsby shifted to Boston on one of McGraw's famous snap-judgment trades, the New Yorkers do not look formidable.

The 100 to 1 shots quoted on the two tailenders might just as well have been 1,000 to 1 shots.

ARCADE BOWLERS WIN AT NANAIMO

Take Odd Game From Timberlands—Marvelubes Drop Four to Premier Three Stars

NANAIMO, March 12.—The Victoria Arcades bowling team paid a visit to Nanaimo Saturday night and took the odd point from the Timberlands, of Extension. E. Harris was high score with 223 pins and also high average with 177. The scores were:

VICTORIA ARCADES

H. Pickup	145	144	171	117	86
G. Motion	124	166	160	142	152
A. Riddle	120	145	130	124	105
J. Leetham	160	160	135	199	182
C. Chislett	210	142	144	152	266
Grand total, 3,759	780	758	730	734	749

TIMBERLANDS

H. Henderson	100	157	112	135	150
B. Victor	175	134	140	128	138
J. Fellrin	140	186	148	130	155
R. Pistino	166	126	129	140	147
E. Harris	163	223	158	168	173
Grand total, 3,786	684	828	687	726	783

MARVELUBES LOSE

In a second fixture the Premier Three Stars took four games from the Victoria Marvelubes. C. Drake, Jr., was high with 201 pins and also high average with 173 pins. The scores were:

VICTORIA MARVELUBES

J. Malcolm	149	127	186	132	180
W. Fairall	157	169	176	144	173
J. Wilson	134	123	135	134	129
R. Hiscock	152	103	160	154	123
W. Talbot	134	158	140	157	153
Grand total, 3,676	726	690	791	711	758

PREMIER THREE STARS

J. McGregor	157	143	156	152	166
C. Drake, Jr.	147	124	195	197	201
T. Naylor	153	154	131	153	160
C. Lawrence	158	156	132	126	122
J. Freer	133	125	120	143	154
Grand total, 3,772	745	702	734	771	820

OUGHT TO KNOW

The Texas Coast affords the best salt water fishing in the world, according to Earl Roman, of Long Beach, Cal., who won first, second and third prizes in the 1927 national tarpon contest at Venice, Florida.

Goalie Throws Stick and Pirates Get Winning Goal

Pittsburgh Defeats Chicago Hawks, 2-1, to Get on Even Terms With Detroit—Boston Distances Rangers in Leadership Race

CHICAGO, March 12.—The Pittsburgh Pirates, of the N.H.L., defeated the Black Hawks, of Chicago, 2-1 tonight, Referee O'Hara granting the Pirates the winning goal when the Hawk goalkeeper, Gardiner, threw his stick at the puck in the final session.

LINE-UPS

Chicago		Pittsburgh
Gardiner	Goal	Worters
Taylor	Defence	Burke
Hoffinger	Defence	McKinnon
Keats	Centre	Milks
Arbour	Wing	Darragh
McCalmon	Wing	Cotton
McVeigh	Sub	McCaffery
Moran	Sub	White
Miller	Sub	Drury
Wentworth	Sub	Smith
Dye	Sub	McCurry

Referees—O'Hara and O'Leary.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Chicago, McVeigh, 8:12; 2, Pittsburgh, Darragh, 3:23.

Second period—No score.

Third period—Pittsburgh awarded goal when Gardiner threw stick, 11:00.

PENALTIES

First period—Drury (2), Moran, Milks, Hoffinger, Taylor, McVeigh, Cotton, McCaffery.

Second period—Burke (2), Drury, McCalmon.

Third period—McKinnon, White.

BRUINS INCREASE LEAD

NEW YORK, March 12.—Boston Bruins increased their lead over New York Rangers in the American group of the National Hockey League to two full games here last night when they blanked the New York Americans 1-0.

The goal was scored midway through the second period, when Eddie Shore's long shot trickled through Vernon Forbes' legs and crossed the goal line.

The teams were:

Boston		N.Y. Americans
Winkler	Goal	Forbes
Hitchman	Defence	Reise
Shore	Defence	Boucher
Fredrickson	Centre	Himes
Oliver	Wing	McKinnon
Galbraith	Wing	Burch
Gainor	Sub	Red Green
Connor	Sub	W. Boucher
Clapper	Sub	Bouchard
Gordon	Sub	——
Harrington	Sub	——
S. Cleghorn	Sub	——

Referees—Ritchie and Rodden.

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Boston, Shore, 13:50.

Third period—No score.

Results of games played in the Interservice Billiard League last week in "A" and "B" Sections, are as follows:

"A" SECTION

Garrison vs. Pro Patria			
Wood	108	Waterson	150
Harper	150	Mudge	120
Willie	150	Burnett	148
Evans	150	Smith	106
	558		524

Evans made 42, unfinished break.

Britannia Post vs. Veterans of France			
Baker	150	Hodge	130
Thornborough	150	Southen	103
Raelton	150	Petch	115
Food	93	Orchard	150
	543		498

Games to be played this week: Pro Patria vs. Army and Navy, Garrison vs. Veterans of France, Britannia Post, a bye.

"B" SECTION

5th Regiment vs. Veterans of France			
Mj. Richardson	127	Campbell	130
R.S.M. Hatcher	141	Coleuhon	150
Bdr. Ward	99	Bowler	150
Sgt. Hatcher	150	Rogers	121
	517		571

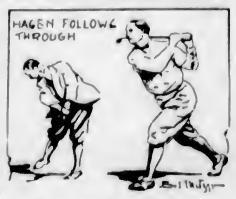
Army and Navy vs. Britannia Post			
Gardner	131	Harstell	150
McBride	125	Stewart	150
Stanley	142	Rochon	150
Lowe	136	Hall	150
	534		600

Games to be played this week: 16th Canadian Scottish vs. Pro Patria, Britannia Post vs. 5th Regiment, Veterans of France vs. Pro Patria, Garrison vs. 16th Canadian Scottish, Army and Navy, a bye.

Sande Released From Hospital

NEW YORK, March 12.—Earle Sande, widely known jockey, now under suspension, left Roosevelt Hospital yesterday after an operation for sinus trouble. Sande entered the hospital last Thursday.

Walter Hagen Perfects Follow Through



By SOL METZGER

Ever watch Hagen drive? If you do, note carefully his action from contact until finish—the follow through. Sir Walter does it to perfection, getting his weight into the contact and carrying it on through after the ball to insure accuracy with distance.

The sketch of Hagen on the left is interesting, as it shows him just after contact, his head down and his club following out after the ball. But what is most impressive is that his hips have come forward after the ball along the line of flight. That prevents any chance of the club coming around too sharply and imparting any slicing spin. You will notice good golfers throwing their weight forward along the line of flight just before contact and bracing it with a straight left leg. This hip slide prevents any slicing motion and aids materially in throwing the weight into the sweep of the club through and out after the ball.

Remember in driving to hit through with the left arm, with the idea predominating that your clubhead is going out after the ball. Women usually lack distance because of lack of strength. In my next article I will give them a fine scheme for developing this needed strength during the closed season for golf

B. C. TELEPHONE TO MEET VARSITY

Ladies' Cage Teams Will Clash at Y.M.C.A. Tomorrow for British Columbia Championship

GOOD PRELIMINARY GAMES ARRANGED

After capturing the Vancouver Island hoop honors by defeating the Nanaimo Rinky Dinks in decisive style, B.C. Telephone ladies' senior "A" cage team will meet Varsity of Vancouver at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium tomorrow at 9 p.m. in the final of the British Columbia title.

Varsity girls are a fast and clever quintette and should make the locals extend themselves all of the way. Followers of the cage game remember the students for their exhibition here in January during the annual invasion of Varsity athletes, when they defeated an all-star aggregation somewhat handily.

Telephone girls have improved their style of play and feel confident they are capable of bringing the British Columbia honors to the Capital City.

Two preliminary games are arranged as follows:

7:30—Harmony vs. Meteors (girls).

8:15—Crescents vs. High School.

The Harmony girls are intermediate champions of the Sunday school hoop league, while the Meteors proved to be their hardest rivals. They should put up an interesting exhibition.

Crescents and High School, intermediate fives, are champions of their respective divisions, and a lively tussle should be seen when these teams step on the floor tomorrow. Another bumper house is expected to witness the card.

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 12. — Rugby Union games played over the week-end and reported today follow:

Carlisle 3, Waterloo 15.
Cheltenham 8, Exeter 0.
Liverpool 11, Liverpool Univer. 5.
Gala 6, Kelso 3.
Langholm 8, Selkirk 5.
Edinburgh Wanderers 12, Melrose 8.
Nuneaton 24, Kings College 5.
Clifton 15, Wellington 3.
Manchester 24, Hartlepool Rov. 6.
Mountain Ash 3, Abercarn 3.
Pill Harriers 10, Ebbvwale 6.

RUGBY LEAGUE

The teams who have reached the semi-final round of the Rugby League Cup series will be matched as follows:

Warrington-Leeds, at Rochdale.
Swinton-Hull, or Batley, at Huddersfield.

The games will be played on March 31.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL

League football matches played today:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

West Ham 4, Leicester 0.
Sheffield United 3, Bury 1.

Third Division—Southern Section

Merthyr 3, Gillingham 1.

Friendly Matches

Corinthians 5, Queen's Park Rangers 0.

Boucher Eliminated

NEW YORK, March 12.—Canada was knocked out of the men's nation indoor tennis tournament here today, the surviving Canadian, Leo Boucher, of Montreal, being eliminated in the third round, 6-1, 6-2, by E. S. Baker, New York. Marcel Rainville was put out Saturday.

Only one of the four seeded invaders remained in the running after the third round. F. R. Leighton-Crawford was defeated by Sadakazu Onda, Japanese, of New York, 7-5, 8-6.

C. Hughes, England, ended the fourth round, defeating Charles A. Anderson, 6-4, 6-4.

TRAIL TAKES LEAD IN WESTERN ICE SEMI-FINALS

Defeat Saskatchewan Champions 2 to 0, in First of Play-Downs

B.C. Champions Surpass Delisle in Skating and Stickhandling in Gaining Lead—To Play Final Game Tomorrow Night

SASKATOON, March 12.—Trail Smoke Eaters, of British Columbia, won the first game of the Western Canada Allan Cup semi-finals when they defeated the Delisle Tigers, 2-0, here tonight. The game was played before 3,000 fans, the largest crowd that has witnessed an amateur game here in years.

Trail scored their first goal early in the second period. It was of the flukey variety, the puck lodging in the net from an almost impossible angle. Their second goal was scored in the last minute of play in the final period. Close checking predominated throughout the game, and in the third period the strain told on the players' nerves, with the result that both teams laid on the hickory freely. Trail were the most finished team. They surpassed Delisle both at skating and stickhandling.

Jackson in goal, and Brennan and Mackie were the outstanding players for Trail, while George Murray, the Delisle goalie, and Bentley brothers were the best for the losers.

LINE-UPS

Trail		Delisle
Jackson	Goal	G. Murray
Reddick	Defence	C. Murray
Anderson	Defence	Miller
Kendall	Centre	Bullen
Gustason		
Brennan	Wing	R. Bentley
Hanson	Wing	J. Bentley
Wheatley	Sub	Patterson
Mackie	Sub	Collins

Referee—Battell, Moose Jaw.

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Trail, Wheatley, 6:10.

Third period—2, Trail, Brennan from Kendall, 19:46.

PENALTIES

First period—Miller.

Second period—Wheatley, R. Bentley.

Third period—C. Murray, Gustavson, Reddick, R. Bentley.

SHASTA GOLD IN SPLENDID WIN

Takes Ventura Handicap by Neck From Fast Field—Handy Mandy Second

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, March 12.—Shasta Gold, the four-year-old filly from the stable of Benny Creech, captured the Ventura Handicap, mile and a sixteenth feature, designed as a "conditioner" for next Sunday's big Coffroth classic, a neck in front of W. T. Waggoner's Handy Mandy here yesterday. Handy Mandy displayed wonderful drive power in the stretch, overhauling all but the winner. Carlaris did not make his usual front run and did not seem to be efforted to Baker's extreme ability. Shasta Gold paid $52.50. Old Kickapoo turned back a fleet pair, Conquistador and Shasta Bullet, in a very good six furlongs—1:12. Holly Boy paid $50.60 in the seventh. Results follow:

First race—Six furlongs:

M. J. McNulty, Jr. (Critchfield)	$18.20	$ 6.40	$ 3.80
Mesirillo (Balentine)		7.20	4.40
Invictus (Crees)			4.40

Time, 1:13 4-5. Also ran: Coffield, Dossier, Assault, Shasta Rock, Follow Me, Nazreen, High Art, Waikiki, John A. Scott Jr., Jimmie Trins.

Second race—One mile:

Jane Dierks (Hardy)	$15.00	$ 5.60	$ 3.40
Brookwood (Kelly)		4.40	2.20
W[illegible] (Palacz)			3.00

Time, 1:42 1-5. Also ran: Sawday, Mildred Ruth, Stardust, Golden Laura, Princess Elma, Billy Todd, Zing, Wilmer the Wizard.

Third race—Mile and seventy yards:

Climax (Luther)	$ 4.80	$ 2.80	$ 2.40
Paula Shay (Jones)		2.60	3.00
Bink Jr. (Warden)			3.80

Time, 1:46. Also ran: Barn Dollar, Bryn Dear, Patriarch, Buzzer, Cloud Accelerator.

Fourth race—One mile:

Moses (Owen)	$ 6.60	$ 2.80	$ 3.00
Negotiator (Rose)	5.40	3.60	
Shasta Pope (Warden)		4.60	

Time, 1:41. Also ran: Golden School, Prattle, Firth of Tay, Harbinger, Marletta.

Fifth race—Mile and seventy yards:

Shasta Negra (Jones)	$16.80	$ 6.40	$ 2.80
Jack Dempsey (Kelly)		5.40	2.80
Watch the Time (Luther)			2.20

Time, 1:44 2-5. Also ran: Palola, Tanist, Sanabar.

Sixth race—Six furlongs:

Old Kickapoo (Fields)	$ 4.20	$ 2.80	$ 2.20
Conquistador (Jones)		4.80	2.80
Shasta Bullet (Elston)			2.20

Time, 1:12. Also ran: Paavo, Shasta Pine, Simony, Bonnie Omar, Maximus, Forecaster.

Seventh race—Six furlongs:

Holly Boy (Snider)	$50.60	$14.40	$ 9.80
Hominy (Parton)		2.20	2.60
Big Heart (Gray)			3.00

Time, 1:14 4-5. Also ran: Perrach, Orlando Kripp, Kaliko, Jedburgh Abbey, High Joy, Combat.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Shasta Gold (Inselone)	$52.80	$13.40	$ 4.40
Handy Mandy (Hardy)		3.60	4.40
Crystal Pennant (Francis)			2.60

Time, 1:44 2-5. Also ran: Carlaris, Pippeminaud, Woolridge, Light Carbine, Wirt G., Bowman.

Ninth race—One mile:

Shasta Grafton (Rose)	$18.00	$ 8.40	$ 2.60
Olive Dexter (Francis)		7.40	3.20
Golden Sweep (Critchfield)			2.40

Time, 1:41. Also ran: Little Blaze, Shasta Donna, Sonny, Rex Roma, Marenzo.

Tenth race—Two miles and one quarter:

Indian Tales (Ray)	$ 8.60	$ 4.20	$ 2.40
Irvington (Louman)		4.20	3.80
Bardalid (Inselone)			5.40

Time, 2:02 1-5. Also ran: Clearview, Composer, Ask Him, Apricot, Old Faithful, Dukedem.

Eleventh race—Six furlongs:

Orci (Duplessis)	$11.60	$ 2.60	$ 2.80
Levulose (Trimble)		12.40	5.00
Lillian L. (Owen)			4.00

Time, 1:13 4-5. Also ran: Thomas Lynn, Captain Guard, Merry Man, Rapier, Sweeping Ann, In the Eye, Almgren, Better Luck, Perrona Seth, Lord Douglas.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Four and one-half furlongs:
Spooky 106
Grendad 109
Crash 118
Ranee 113
Hey Diddle Diddle 109
Maurice Ed. 106
Lady Vava 113
Bettie A. 106
Kearn C. 106
Tin Soldier 109
Marilyn A. 106
Sunny Smile 109
Black Hills 109
Bouncing Ball 116
Harcum 106
Omareen 109
Blind Hills 106

Second race—Six furlongs:
Fairy's Beau 109
Betty O'Brien 107
Tea Taster 109
Friend Joe 109
Smiling 107
Jersey Red 107
Lady Rose 113
Combustion 107
Picnic 115
Kinetic 112
Delectable II. 112
Regular Girl 112
Polly Thorpe 112
Harrikan's Heir 112
Weathervane 111
Zennie 107
Zealot 109
Teenie Weenie Maudie 105

Third race—Mile and seventy yards:
Homeran 107
Tender Seth 114
Minnie Bomba 109
Praise 107
Pepper Shot 104
Princess Hermes 109
Debtor 111
Flying Chief 111
Rinkavous 107
Peter Pierson 107
Jola Shot 108
Betty Maloney 112
Breechloader 107
Queen Olivia 109
Cadmus 107
Irish Brigadier 107
Sunny Girl 109
Sylvanus 107

Fourth race—Mile and one-eighth:
Confluente 114
Darius 114
Montdale 109
Evelyn Brown 107
Supervisor 109
Aurfret 109
Minnesota 86
Tennessee 105
Fire Captain 117
Alessie 107
Marmary 99
Rock Bomb 109
Count Vista 107
Coeur de Lion 109

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Cap Allen 103
Bonstilla 103
Lunardi 112
Eugene D. 110
Little Stout 103
Piute 110
Heroaken 108
Speedy Lad 114
I Told You 108
Heathervale 110
Dolly Dunn 103
Hopuwai 110
Dr. Crabtree 110
Klachief Macher 108

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Shasta Sand 99
Knightwood 104
Waimanu 111
Minstrel Boy 108
Fagnos 113
Glint o' Gold 98
Ann Curtis 92
Cobra 104
Hawea 92

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Kentucky Babe 103
Jack Dempsey 101
General Disken 115
Master David 113
Frank O. Menke 103
Color Blind 101
Judge Schilling 107

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Winning From Delaney

ABOVE is an excellent action picture taken during the fight between Tom Heeney, right, and Jack Delaney, left, Canadian heavyweight, in New York, which shows the way the New Zealander ploughed his way through Delaney's punches to win on points. Tom hopes to meet Gene Tunney some day.

Eighth race—Six furlongs.
Potent 109
Kit Carson 104
Short Price 109
Sergeant Seth 112
Conquistador 117

Ninth race—Clubhouse course.
Miniator 102
Roseatte II 115
Lorena Marcella 110
Jack Fairman 105
Realist 107
Poly Angle 106
Thrace 116
Sanabar 108

ONLY FAVORITE

Sir Martin was the only American-bred horse to start as favorite in the Epsom Derby, famous English classic, but lost the race through an accident which occured while he was in the lead.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CRICKETERS SET FOR TONIGHT

The annual meeting of the Victoria and District Cricket Association will be held tonight in the Chamber of Commerce at 8 o'clock. Officers for the year will be elected and the past season's reports read. A general discussion will take place on this year's prospects. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

A girl of fourteen has been made a member of a light aeroplane club of Bristol, England.

Joe Turnesa Slumps This Winter Two Strokes Behind His Average

Either He Is Off Form, or He Does Not Get Breaks—Is Far From Record of Previous Year

By BUNKER

What threw Joe Turnesa off his game?

After the professional tourists had finished their swing through California, Texas, Arkansas and other points West, in the season of 1926-27, the Elmsford expert went over his tournament record and found that he had averaged 73 13-27 strokes to the round in nine events, winning two of them and finishing lower than seventh place on only two occasions. Once he was third, twice he was fourth and twice he was seventh. In his winning tournaments he had scores of 282 and 287.

Joe struck into Florida that Winter with a heavy pocketbook and a light heart.

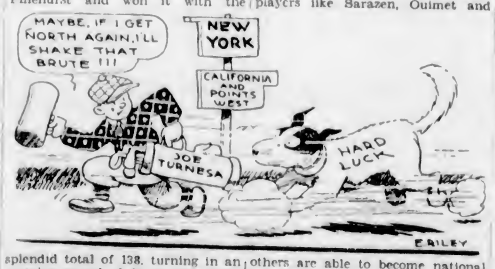
Far different his story over the same route in the campaign of 1927-28.

In nine similar tournaments Joe averaged 75 12-29 strokes to the round, finished as high as fifth on only one occasion, and almost always was well down in the scoring. Once his shooting was so off color in the first two rounds that he wasn't included in the final two.

Nary a first did he win. His best score was 292 in a field in which half a dozen players broke 290 and the winner had 282. No big money for Joe, no heart throbs of elation.

At the close of 1927 Turnesa, after ninety-one tournament rounds, had a medal average of 74 5-13 strokes and ranked tenth in the country among those who played forty or more rounds. He ended the season in a sweep of glory by forcing his way to the finals of the Professional Golfers' Association championship, where he only lost to Walter Hagen on the thirty-sixth green.

After that he went to the Mid-South Open of thirty-six holes at Pinehurst and won it with the splendid total of 138, turning in an amazing round of 64 on his second circuit of the course.



Since then Joe hasn't been up to his usual form. His California-Texas-Arkansas jaunt found him playing nearly two strokes more to the round than he did in 1926-27. To date he is running approximately a stroke to the round above his average for the whole of 1927.

Either Joe's form isn't as good as usual or the breaks are against him. But he hasn't been living up to his 1927 promises. Maybe when he gets North again he'll become his usual deadly self.

DOESN'T HURT EYES

When baseball mixes with golf there is always fun in the offing. Baseball has its own brand of humor, forged by merry-hearted lads from the far nooks and corners of America who have the same sort of psychology that has made Will Rogers one of the great.

Many managers object to golf as a pastime for their players, claiming that it lessens their batting efficiency. But men like Sam Rice, of Washington, who plays in the 70's most of the time, insist this isn't true. Sam says golf has increased his batting prowess.

Jess Petty, the Brooklyn southpaw ace, upholds Rice. Someone asked him if the links game had affected his batting eye.

"Shucks, no," replied Jess. "I hit .062 before I took up golf and I haven't fallen a point below that since I took it up."

EXPLAINS BRITISH LOSSES

The typical American golf champion is a youth in his twenties, according to Jim Barnes. This applies to professionals as well as to amateurs.

"The home-bred professionals develop much younger champions than the foreign-bred players yield," says Jim, pointing out that men like himself, Cyril Walker, and others from the other side who have won the United States Open, had to serve an extended period of club-making apprenticeship in Britain before they could become assistant professionals and then professionals.

Jim explained why Great Britain has fallen behind the United States in open play when he said:

"The trouble over there is that they have no tournaments to develop young players. The result is that many—like Jock Hutchison, Cyril Walker and myself, for instance—are well past thirty before they win a national tournament.

"In this country kids in their teens get a chance at competition in the caddie tournaments, and the minute they show promise club members take an interest in them and give them every chance to develop their game. That is why players like Sarazen, Oulmet and others are able to become national champions while they are still youngsters."

OLDEST PUTTER IN U.S.

Speaking of antiques, I recently saw a putter that would interest every golfer in America. It probably is the oldest club in the United States. Fittingly, it belongs to Frank Hoyt, former senior golf champion. He displayed it with pride during a visit in his office.

"It was made by Willie Park, Sr.," says Hoyt. "He gave it to his son, Willie Park, Jr., who, while he was in this country, presented it to Capt. Charles Clark, then professional at the Engineers' Club, Roslyn, L.I. Clark gave it to me."

Willie Park, Sr., won the first British Open championship in 1860, just sixty-eight years ago. Hoyt's putter probably dates many years back of that. It is anywhere from eighty to ninety years old, and fit for a golf museum.

KERR AND WEBSTER GIVEN SUSPENSION

Members of Sons of Canada Baseball Team, Who Took Part in Play-Off, Out for Month

VANCOUVER, March 12.—In proposing the name of Matt Hunter as president, at Saturday's meeting of the B.C.A.B.A., in which he was supported by Dan McKenzie, also of New Westminster, Alex. Courtney referred to the irregularities concerning the Victoria team in the play-off of last Fall, intimating that as he knew Hunter, the latter would not be guilty of any such things as charged.

Later, when matters arising out of the secretary's report were aired, some feeling developed. Joe Baker read correspondence with Hunter, in which the latter wrote that as a result of the irregularities in not reporting the playing of ineligible men in the play-offs, of which he was cognizant, he had resigned from the presidency and expected to take the same action with regard to the B.C.A.B.A., in which he was the first vice-president last year.

It developed during the discussion that a man named Steele had been sent to Vancouver in charge of the Victoria team, Manager Milne being unable to make the trip. Steele had told the team that Kerr and Webster, who had played for other Victoria clubs during the season, were eligible to play and responsibility rested with him, it was claimed. Paul Desbrisay took occasion to remark that this was no way to support the new president, and was promptly taken to task by Secretary Smith.

LINE-UP SURPRISED HIM

Hunter then intimated that he was quite prepared to take anything coming to him. He said he had allowed Kerr and Webster, of the U.C.T. and Eagles club, to come over with the Sons of Canada team for warming up purposes only, and was surprised when he saw them appear in the line-up under assumed names. Had Victoria won, the instance would have been reported, he declared, but when Burnaby had won, he had said nothing about it. He admitted his mistake.

President Macfarlane, of the Victoria League, said he was not familiar with the circumstances of the play-offs, but urged the Sons of Canada Club be not unduly criticized. He did not want to slip anything over the B.C.A.B.A. and would be responsible for the carrying out of the British Columbia constitution in his city. They were having a hard time he declared, to make baseball go in Victoria.

Tom Davis suggested that the slate be cleaned and there the matter ended.

Players Kerr and Webster were suspended for one month from the start of the 1928 playing season and the Victoria League will be required to reimburse the B.C.A.B.A. to the extent of $18.90, representing expenses to Vancouver of the two players.

Loughran Declares Risko Fooled Fans By Changing Style

Light-Heavyweight Champion Says Cleveland Bakerboy Outsmarted His Faster Opponent—Thinks Boston Gob's Body Weak

By TOMMY LOUGHRAN
Light Heavyweight Champion of the World.
(Copyright, 1928, in all countries by North American Newspaper Alliance.)

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, Mar. 12.—Just as I predicted, Johnny Risko defeated Jack Sharkey in their fifteen-round fight here tonight. The experience the Cleveland baker got at the hands of the light-heavyweights enabled him to outsmart his faster opponent. Sharkey has always been called a boxer, though I don't know why. In tonight's battle the sailor was all at sea when Risko would not lead to him. If Sharkey really was the boxer he is supposed to be, he would have known enough to feint, step back and lead Johnny on.

Risko fooled the fans and Sharkey by not fighting his usual tearing-in, mauling sort of battle and by the use of a left jab. This jab raked Sharkey's stomach, bewildering him to the extent of upsetting all his plans. Jack once again showed that his body is weak. This was a known fact, even before he fought Jack Dempsey, and it was proven once again.

The fight tonight showed pretty clearly that a man weighing 175 pounds is big enough to fight anyone in the world. Risko, who was a punching bag for light-heavyweights, looked a really formidable fighter against a supposedly leading challenger for the heavyweight championship.

LEFT RISKO'S WEAPON

Johnny's awkward style of coming in with his head down and his jaw protected by his right hand made his opponent think he was punching for the stomach. Instead, a wild, looping left-hand punch to the jaw, which usually landed, was Johnny's chief weapon. Sharkey didn't seem to be able to defend himself against this blow except by throwing a short right-hand cross inside Risko's left, which blow rarely landed, due to Johnny lowering his head as he tore in.

Sharkey was off in his judgment of distance, and looked bad by the way he led and missed time after time. Sharkey proved that he was game enough and a strong fighter, but lacking in experience and boxing brains. He can't complain of not having had the chance to prove himself a real contender. Last Summer he went against Dempsey and was stopped in seven rounds. Then he was given a chance against Heeney and only got a draw. Tonight he was given his third chance, against Risko, and again failed to come through. That ought to finish him.

It looks as though this fight was a good break for me, as neither man showed anything like championship ability, and tonight Johnny—whom I have twice defeated—eliminated the man Rickard wanted to meet Tunney. This puts me right on the list for a first crack at Tunney.

Y.M.C.A. Hexathlon Results Announced

Members of the local Y.M.C.A. are competing with crack field and track stars all over the Dominion in the National Hexathlon. The senior tests and finals carried out here are given below, with the best six in each event being taken into consideration in the national contest.

RESULTS

Sixty yards potato race: A. Acres, time, :15 1-5; P. Rose, :15 2-5; H. Bailey, :15 2-5; B. Watson, :15 3-5; G. Sharp, :15 4-5; N. Collins, :15 4-5.

160 yards potato race: P. Rose, time, :44; A. Acres, :44 1-5; H. Bailey, :45 2-5; N. Collins, :46; W. Mawle, :46; G. Sharp, :46 1-5.

Running high jump: B. Watson, height, 5 ft. 2 in.; W. Cook, 5 ft.; T. Wilson, 4 ft. 10 in.; G. Sharp, 4 ft. 9 in.; W. Plater, 4 ft. 3 in.; A. Stewart, 4 ft. 3 in.

Fence vault: N. Collins, height, 5 ft. 11½ in.; W. Mawle, 5 ft. 5½ in.; R. Messiter, 5 ft. 7½ in.; R. Inesson, 5 ft. 4½ in.; P. McGill, 5 ft. 4½ in.; H. Bailey, 5 ft. 4½ in.

Standing broad jump: B. Watson, distance, 9 ft. 1½ in.; W. Cook, 8 ft. 8 in.; G. Sharp, 8 ft. 5½ in.; W. Peden, 8 ft. 3½ in.; N. Collins, 8 ft. 3 in.; W. Plater, 8 ft. 3 in.

Twelve-pound shot put: W. Peden, distance, 41 ft. 8 in.; B. Peden, 32 ft. 7 in.; N. Collins, 31 ft. 6 in.; G. Sharp, 30 ft. 7 in.; T. Wilson, 30 ft. 3 in., A. Stewart, 30 ft. 2 in.

Varsity to Meet Reps

VANCOUVER, March 12.—Varsity ruggers and Vancouver Reps are scheduled to do battle in the McKechnie Cup series at Brockton Point, Saturday. Ex-King George, who defeated Science last Saturday, will cross the Gulf March 24 to meet Victoria in the final for the Rounsfel Cup.

Metropolitan Tennis Courts Open for Play

MetropolitanUnited Church tennis courts are now open for the use of the members of the tennis club and their friends. At a recent meeting officers were elected and an energetic campaign for members is under way. The new officers elected were: President, Bob Smith; vice-president, Ross Bewell; secretary, Ted Andrews; treasurer, Edward Parsons. Ross Bewell will be in charge of the courts.

Roller Hockey

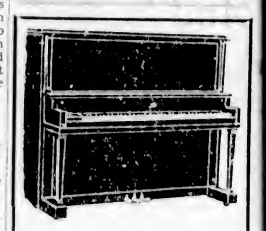
The curtain will ring down for the close of the 1927-28 roller hockey season tonight, with three final matches down for decision at the V.I.A.A. gymnasium, Victoria West.

The games are as follows:

110 pounds—Victoria West vs. George Jay Rangers.

90 pounds—Foul Bay vs. Rock Bay.

125 pounds—V.I.A.A. vs. C.P.R.



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CIVIC SALARIES QUESTION ARGUED

Effort to Block Extension of Power of Council to Raise Stipend Fails

Efforts by Mr. Reginald Hayward, Conservative, Victoria, to block extension of power to a municipal council to raise the salaries of mayor and aldermen without reference to the ratepayers, were defeated when the bill amending the Municipal Act was before the House in committee stage yesterday morning.

Mr. Hayward offered an amendment to wipe out that section of the bill which will give the council of a city of more than 20,000 people the right to set the salary of mayor at any figure up to a maximum of $4,000 a year, and of aldermen up to $1,000 a year. The section enables payment of mayors or reeves of smaller municipalities at $2,000 a year and of councillors at $500 a year.

He had opposed the clause when it came before the Municipal Committee, Mr. Hayward said. It had passed only by a small majority of those present at that particular meeting of the committee.

Mr. Hayward objected to the section as not requiring an increase of salaries to be dependent on a vote of the ratepayers. The citizens of Victoria, and, he believed, the citizens of the whole province were opposed to the principle of the clause. The city of Victoria was most decidedly opposed to it, excepting for one or two aldermen. The proposal had been before the House before, but it had always been thrown out.

QUESTIONS ARGUMENT

It was argued that the payment of higher salaries would bring more able men into the public service. He did not believe in this contention. It would be more likely to have the contrary effect, Mr. Hayward said, referring to the good work of school boards, done without remuneration to trustees. The conception of the citizen's duty to the community should be the same here as in the Old Country, where salaries were not paid. As a matter of fact if councillors were paid merely their out-of-pocket expenses a better class of man would be secured.

It was no part of the duty of the House to interfere with the purely internal arrangements of the city of Victoria, Mr. H. D. Twigg, Conservative, Victoria, declared. He had no objections to the servants of the people being paid, but he held that increases should only be made with the consent of the ratepayers. It was for the people of Victoria, themselves, as it was for the people of New Westminster or the people of Vancouver to deal with a matter of this kind, a matter, purely, of domestic economy. The point was that the people had a right to decide whether the council should raise salaries.

It was an antiquated idea that only the rich should govern, Col. C. W. Peck, Conservative, The Islands, declared, adding that the section did not make it obligatory on a council to order increased remuneration. It had not been proved in the past that only the rich could govern well.

PEOPLE HOLD REMEDY

If the people objected to the raising of salaries they had the remedy in their own hands at the time of the next municipal election, Mr. R. H. Neelands, Labor, South Vancouver, pointed out, declaring that nonpayment of municipal salaries would tend to eliminate the man of small means from public offices.

Hon. T. G. Coventry, Conservative, Saanich, declared that at a meeting of 1,600 people here no one had been found in favor of the proposal to give the council power to raise the scale of its remuneration. They thought that a plebiscite should be held.

Mr. Hayward's amendment was lost.

The House accepted an amendment offered by Mr. J. M. Bryan, Liberal, North Vancouver, and designed to give a municipality the power to enter into an agreement with private interests to fix a definite sum as the assessment on lands or improvements. The amendment requires the assent of the electors to any agreement reached.

The bill was then reported complete with amendments.

Many large electrical projects are to be started in Japan in the near future.

Buses are being used in connection with street cars in Constantinople.

Coroners' Fees To Be Adjusted On Basis of Work

By message a bill was introduced into the Legislature by the Attorney-General yesterday afternoon for the purpose of amending the Coroners' Act. The object was explained to be to take care of a situation that sometimes arose whereby coroners had to give a lot of time to an inquest traveling long distances, and losing a lot of time, while they were under the act able to draw down only a small fee.

It was proposed to make it possible, at the discretion of the Government, to alter the remuneration to meet such cases.

Mr. R. H. Pooley said that as far as the Opposition was concerned, it was prepared to deal right by a worthy class of professional men, and would not oppose the bill.

Fire in Canora

CANORA, Sask., March 12.—Fire swept through two business places here during the week-end, causing aggregate losses of $75,000. In a spectacular blaze the Burrows lumber yard yas destroyed Saturday night, while Sunday the Imperial Hotel building, recently vacated, was completely gutted and adjoining business places damaged.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

THE NEW "AMERICAN PLAN"

Many changes have been made in our dietary habits from the days of the diet of the American Indian and early settlers to our present common plan of seeing how many kinds of food and how much we can use at each meal.

The response to these health and diet articles is so tremendous that I know the time is fast approaching when we will have evolved a new "American Plan" of eating, where the diner will carefully consider each meal from the standpoint of the quality of the food used, the quantity of each kind, and the way these foods are combined.

Hundreds of thousands of readers have written to me asking for sensible diet lists. All such correspondents have been replied to, and other letters from these same correspondents encourage me to believe that the majority are trying to follow a systematic plan of dieting which will assure them better health. The weekly menus being published in this column each Saturday are being followed by millions all over the North American continent.

I wish my readers could spend a day or two in reading the wonderful letters in my files, from readers who tell me of the good results they are receiving. It would be such a source of great encouragement to them. In many cases these letters tell of the cure of diseases through following these diets after many other methods of treatment had failed and their cases were given up as hopeless.

Those readers who have been only casually reading these articles will surely be surprised and delighted if they will just try living for a week or two on the menus which are recommended in this column each Saturday. Just try the simple egg, toast, and stewed fruit breakfast, the plain but delicious luncheons, and the sensible, appetizing dinners. It surely will not be very hard to try this dieting for a week or two, as enough variety is offered, the meals are not expensive and are, indeed, thoroughly satisfying.

In the daily articles I try to give you as much as possible about my theories of the philosophy of correct feeding. It will not take you over five minutes each day to read this article, and I doubt if anything else in this paper will give you so much help each day.

I have prepared a special list of helpful menus. You may write to me for this article and I will be glad to send it to you by mail. Ask for the article called "Helpful Menus" and send a stamped, addressed, large envelope for your reply.

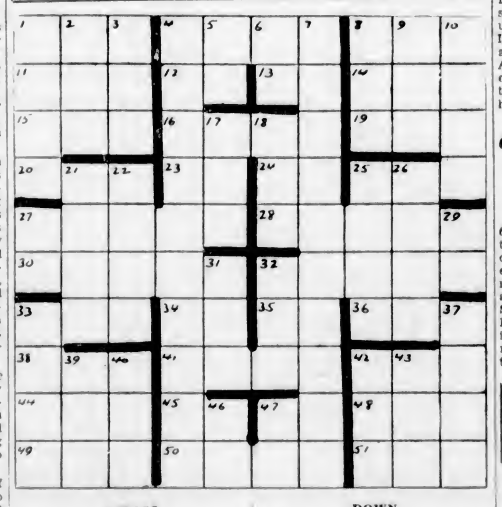
If you will learn the philosophy of correct eating you will soon be able to select your own meals, as the choosing of good combinations will become almost automatic after a while.

Read all of the health magazines you can find time for, compare the diferent theories about food, and when you do not understand a certain point, write to me and I will be glad to answer your questions for you as well as to send you special diets or information regarding the diet to be used to assist in the cure of any particular ailment.

This column is run for only one purpose and that is for your benefit. If you do not take advantage of your opportunity to secure more health and diet information, it may be because you think you are healthy enough already, or believe that other interests are more important than the cultivation of perfect health.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

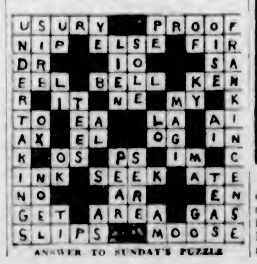


ACROSS

1. Craft.
4. Highway.
8. Pen name of Dickens.
11. Deer of Europe.
12. Nickname.
13. Prefix; two.
14. Babylonian deity.
15. Mountain in Crete.
16. Trappings.
19. Babylonian delty.
20. Toward the stern.
23. Chaldean city.
24. 3.1416.
25. Ostrich-like bird.
27. Musical instrument.
28. Monsters.
30. Press the foot.
32. Grows weary.
33. Foot-like organ.
34. Note of the scale.
35. Siberian river.
36. Inclosure.
38. Reverential fear.
41. Poem.
42. Bind.
44. Hurried.
45. Beast of burden.
47. Myself.
48. Constellation.
49. Conjunction.
50. Pinches.
51. Through the agency of.

DOWN

1. Melody.
2. Staff
3. Beverage.
4. Rule.
5. Hypothetical force.
6. Hebrew month.
7. Balloons.
8. Feminine nickname.
9. Unit.
10. Native of part of Africa.
17. Notable period.
18. Philippine mountain.
21. Flame.
22. Tips of the feet.
25. Makes a mistake.
26. Encounter.
27. New England State (ab.)
29. Steamship (ab.)
31. Acted.
32. Plaything.
33. Centre of the rubber industry.
37. Period of time.
39. Pale.
40. Finish.
42. Spigot.
43. Wrath.
46. Greek letter.
47. Member of Parliament (ab.).



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At The Playhouses

PATHOS AND MIRTH ABOUND ON SCREEN

"The Cohens and Kellys in Paris" Rocks Capitol Patrons With Laughter

If life was made for laughter, whoever attends the Capitol Theatre while "The Cohens and Kellys in Paris" is the feature, will live a complete life during the run of the picture.

"The Cohens and Kellys in Paris" is life jammed with wholesome human touches of pathos and comedy. It is a beautiful painting from the delicate brush of the great artist, William Beaudine, director of "Little Annie Rooney," "Sparrows" and "Hold That Lion." Each member of the all-star cast is admirably chosen.

It is not a farce comedy, but it is drama of the relations between the Irishman and the Jew told with an eye always on the comic possibilities of the tale.

On the stage are Harold Bechtel, the singing master of ceremonies, in a new skit; MacGreevy and Jeffries, two excellent artists in a novelty musical presentation; Betty Anderson, a soprano soloist of rare talent and personality, in song selections, and the Capitol Concert Orchestra under the leadersip of Al. Prescott.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "Stella Dallas," the stupendous film production which is the attraction at the Playhouse Theatre, is a vividly dramatic modern story of typical American life. It depends not upon the usual motion picture "hokum" of wild chases, runaway stage coach, prairie fires, or battles, for the dramatic element, but rather upon the sincere, talented interpretations of typical American characters by a cast of unquestioned ability and popularity. Henry King, the producer, says "Stella Dallas" contains more real drama, intermingled with the lighter moments, than any story he has yet interpreted for the screen.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "Blarney," showing today at the Columbia Theatre, is a prize ring story of the period of fifty years ago and the old time vehicles were neded for authentic atmosphere. Another detail in the creation of proper atmosphere was the costuming of the thousand or more extras in the plug hats, the congress gaiters, ruffled shirts and other accoutrements of the period. Ralph Graves has the title role in the picture, with Renee Adoree in the leading feminine role, while the cast includes Paulette Duval, Malcolm Waite and Margaret Seddon.

VARIETY THEATRE On the screen of the Variety Theatre this week, is a feature picture—"The Blood Ship"—that is refreshingly different. To those surfeited with mawkishly sentimental hokum, a trip to the Variety is prescribed and recommended. The picture is full of action from start to final fadeout. Here we have the sort of virile melodrama the masculine heart can thrill at. It deals with ships on the high seas—with shanghaied sailors—with skippers who know no law but their own. No straw men are set up for a sheik-like hero to make passes at without ruffling even one hair of his carefully waxed moustache. The plot, built along simple dramatic lines, is not based upon tailor-made coincidences, but builds up steadily in a tense manner to a strikingly thrilling climax that literally takes the breath away.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—"The Cohens and Kellys in Paris," featuring J. Farrell MacDonald and George Sidney.

Columbia—Renee Adoree in "Blarney."

Dominion—"The Last Command," starring Emil Jannings.

Playhouse — "Stella Dallas," featuring Alice Joyce and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.

Variety—"The Blood Ship," with an all-star cast.

The Stage

Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Crystal Garden — Swimming and Dancing.

DOMINION FEATURE DECLARED SUPERB

"The Last Command" Proves One of Most Powerful Dramas Reproduced on Screen

What is believed to be one of the most powerful dramas even enacted on the American screen appeared at the Dominion Theatre yesterday, in Paramount's latest production, starring the international and incomparable actor, Emil Jannings, in "The Last Command."

It is superb.

A great warrior, mighty in power, beloved by his men; a traitor and a girl befriended by him; revolution, poverty; that in brief is the bare outline of Emil Jannings' second American made production, which captured the audience yesterday at the Dominion Theatre.

"The Last Command" is a worthy successor to Jannings' two previous productions in which he appeared before the American film-going public in "Variety" and "The Way of All Flesh." Jannings does an unbelievably splendid characterization of a Russian general and is then torn from his riches and might by the revolutionists.

ANITA LOOS'-NOVEL COLISEUM FEATURE

"Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" Leads Big Triple Bill Offered This Week

The stage offerings at the Coliseum Theatre were highly appreciated at the opening performance last night. Jack Carr, the actor-vocalist, renders two clever numbers, his monologue and stage presence made him very popular with theaudience. Fred Owens, on the banjo, presents a number of classical and popular pieces. Will Hays, cartoonist, offers something new in the art of drawing. Closing the programme are Al. and J. Adams, the collegiate steppers. These boys are exceedingly clever in something entirely new in stage dancing.

Heading the double feature picture programme is "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes." This epic of the modern gold-digger as portrayed by Ruth Taylor will go down in the film annals as one of the great satirical portrayals. Miss Taylor, until her great chance as Lorelei Lee was given her, was practically an unknown in the movie world. After the folks have seen her thoroughly admirable performance in the year's best seller, they will vote her definitely "in."

67th Western Scots Will Hold Annual Dinner in Vancouver

The annual reunion dinner of the 67th Western Scots will be held at the Elysium Hotel, Vancouver, B.C., on Saturday, March 24. Victoria ex-members are requested to communicate with Major Stuart Okell at the Red Cross Workshop, Johnson Street, or Sergeant Whittingham at Little & Taylor's, Douglas Street, in order that arrangements may be made wit hthe C.P.R. as to the transportation.

Mother's Little Helper

By J. H. Striebel

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NEWS REVIEW

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PLAYHOUSE

Unemployment In New York State Becomes Serious

OTTAWA, March 12.—With unemployment in New York State hovering around the 500,000 mark, the situation is considered serious, writes the Assistant Trade Commissioner for Canada in the United States, in The Commercial Intelligence Journal, published by the Department of Trade and Commerce. The situation is the worst since 1921. In some labor groups there are more than 1,000 applicants for every 100 jobs, and in the clothing trades 15,000 are unemployed. The upstate cities are also suffering. Buffalo alone has 35,000 to 40,000 unemployed. In Rochester there are reported to be about 10,000 idle.

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DEDICATORY SERVICE HELD

Amid Scaffolding and Equipment of Construction, First Congregation Worships at Christ Church

MANY ADMIRE RAPID GROWTH

Appealing for imagination of what the building would be, asking for the vision to see a great work completed, a task to be worthy of His cause and of the city, Bishop Schofield talked briefly to the gathering within the confines of the nave of the new Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday afternoon.

The occasion was the first service held since the building had progressed from the platform upon which the foundation stone laying ceremony was held in September, 1926. This dedicatory service was organized for the twofold objective of the present appeal for funds to complete the nave, and to give an opportunity for a public view of the progress effected by the builders.

Enough has been done to prove how closely the famous old-world ecclesiastic examples of Gothic architecture have been followed in designing the cathedral, the sense of length in the middle hall of the nave, of compactness in the aisles, of strength and grace in the pillars has already impressed itself on the building.

The most advanced portion of the building is the Baptistery, which will be a picturesque fragment of the past transplanted to newer soil when completed.

For many of the congregation it was the first opportunity to appreciate the ample dimensions of the structure, as far as present plans contemplate construction.

The service was brief, Bishop Schofield, Dean Quainton, and Archdeacon Laycock officiating. Bishop Schofield explained the object of the gathering, stressed its historic significance, and told of the value of cathedral building to the stimulus of Christian citizenship. He said it was fitting that the first service should be one of dedication, with an appeal to Him to bless all in their work of building the cathedral.

The selected hymns were, "Soldiers of Christ, Arise," and "O God, Our Help in Ages Past."

The Dean offered thanks for the gifts of past donors, praying for Divine blessing on the builders and workmen, and on the labors of those who were present to dedicate themselves to the task of completing the nave. The Archdeacon read part of the first chapter of Joshua, exhorting the people to "Be strong and of good courage; for the Lord thy God is with thee withersoever thou goest."

Linking that modern edifice with the venerable foundation of Canterbury, the Archdeacon reminded his audience, were stones from the historic Saxon fane, beneath the foundation stone laid by the Bishop of London.

While he was sketching the outline of the building, and the plans for its expansion in the years to come, the droning of the engines of an aeroplane overhead recalled the changes which have been wrought since Gothic architecture came to its supreme majesty in the thirteenth century.

During the afternoon many citizens visited the scene and passed through the church, escorted by members of the congregation and building committee, and the architect, Mr. J. C. M. Keith.

Part of Congregation at Cathedral Service

—Photograph by Chapman.

The dedicatory service in connection with the appeal to complete the nave of Christ Church Cathedral was well attended on Sunday afternoon. The view was taken from the dais upon which the clergy stood, looking west towards the main entrance on Quadra Street.

FIRST SERVICE SHOWN IN SLIDES

Lantern Views of Sunday's Congregation in New Cathedral Shown by Archdeacon

Several lantern slides, showing the congregation and clergy on Sunday at the first service held in the new Christ Church Cathedral since the laying of the cornerstone, were shown in connection with Archdeacon Laycock's address at the Memorial Hall last evening on some of the famous cathedrals in England. The pictures of the service on Sunday afforded interesting evidence of the great progress which has been made with the new cathedral structure, and in addition to the congregation in the nave, there were shown a group of children in the Children's Corner, and a group containing the Bishop of Columbia, the Archbishop of Columbia, and the Dean of Columbia, all photographed on the same occasion. In connection with the showing of these pictures the lecturer also had projected on the screen two or three scenes from the cornerstone laying in September, 1926, with the Bishop of London officiating. This served still further to demonstrate the rapid progress which is being made.

Points of similarity between the new cathedral here and some of the Old World cathedrals were indicated by the Archdeacon as he pictured the great churches of Norman, early English, and decorative and perpendicular Gothic style. An unnamed picture showed an exaggerated case of "retrogression in ecclesiastical architecture," with the pulpit advanced to the centre of the church, "bringing the preacher into prominence to the detriment of the altar." This criticism could not be made against the cathedral.

"The building which Mr. Keith has designed will be a noble building," commented the lecturer, recalling that a distinguished visitor had remarked on seeing the plan of the new structure, that in respect of its cathedral, Victoria was setting the pace for all Canada. Several architectural drawings of different aspects of the new building were shown, including one of a traverse section just behind the towers of the west front.

Two other modern cathedrals, of which the audience were given descriptions, were Truro, the most recently finished of the English cathedrals, and Liverpool, still in process of construction, although already a magnificent structure. Among the several views of the interior of Liverpool Cathedral were two showing the consecration service, with the King and Queen, the Archbishops of York and Canterbury, and hundreds of other clergy taking part in the ceremony.

Among some of the other famous cathedrals pictured were St. Paul's, Canterbury, Westminster Abbey, Ely, Wells, Bristol, Gloucester, Ripon (the outline of which was indicated as slightly resembling the new cathedral here), York Minster, Exeter, Carlisle, Manchester, Winchester, Bath Abbey and Truro.

Mr. Chapman was very heartily thanked for operating the lantern and for the expedition which he had displayed in preparing slides of the photographs taken on Sunday; and Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake was also thanked for her vocal contributions, her interpretation of Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer" being particularly beautiful.

Three Diocesan Clerical Leaders Officiate

—Photograph by Chapman.

The above picture shows Bishop Schofield, Dean Quainton and Archdeacon Laycock in the baptistery, on the occasion of the first service held in the new Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday afternoon.

ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS

The executive of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit, No. 12, will meet in the clubrooms, 512 Fort Street, tomorrow at 8 o'clock. On Thursday the general monthly meeting will be held at 8 p.m. On Saturday, March 17, a St. Patrick's Day smoker will be held.

ST. PATRICK'S SMOKER

The Britannia branch of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L., will hold a St. Patrick's smoker on Saturday, March 17, in the clubrooms, Johnson and Broad Streets. Bill Hanson will be master of ceremonies.

Local Hotel Bus Driver Aids Cupid Complete Victory

A Victoria hotel bus driver has assisted to complete the devastation which Cupid had begun. His duties called him yesterday to serve a prospective groom and bride who had arrived by a morning steamer. They wanted a minister as soon as possible, and the obliging driver not only found the parson, but also acted as best man. The groom apparently had no intention of being caught without the essential ring, for he produced three for the selection of his bride.

Minister Explains Why Project Was Not Carried Out

Hon. T. D. Pattulloo, in a statement yesterday, outlined the reasons why the offer of Mr. Frederick Buscombe, of "Fairacres," as a home for incurables was refused.

The minister says that the officers of the department of the Provincial Secretary did not think the home a suitable place for the purposes of a home for incurables. Following the reference of the matter by the Premier to himself, Mr. Pattullo says he sent an officer of the department to Vancouver to interview Mr. Buscombe to see if he would not consent to allow the property to be used for purposes other than a home for incurables, and to survey the property again with a view of its use as a school for subnormal children.

The officer reported that Mr. Buscombe appeared to be disappointed, and the officer did not have the opportunity of looking over the property.

"Subsequently," added Mr. Pattullo, "I personally endeavored to get in touch with Mr. Buscombe, but was advised that he had left for California, and there the matter has still rested. I did not know that Mr. Buscombe had returned until advised of his public complaint.

"While I look upon the offer of Mr. Buscombe as of generous intention, yet unless the property could be put to suitable use it would be more of a liability than otherwise to the province."

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Number the alphabet from A to Z. A is No. 1, B is No. 2, C No. 3 and so on. The first letter of each word is in its proper place but the remaining letters are misplaced. Can you solve the puzzle?
If you can solve 8 words you will be eligible for one of these prizes.

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1—Write your answer plainly on a square sheet of paper. Be as neat as you can as neatness will be a consideration.
2—Print your name and full address at top, right-hand corner of the sheet. State if Miss, Mrs. or Mr.
3—Write nothing but the above on your entry. Any other remarks should be on separate sheet.
4—Contestants will be under no obligation to purchase anything but will be asked to distribute one order of Americanda Chocolates by means of our Novel and Amazing Plan which we furnish free.
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6—Our employees and their relatives, or people in any way connected with the company, are barred from the contest.
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Comedy Will Be Presented Friday and Saturday, March 23 and 24

The Players Club of the Victoria College will present their annual play at the Victoria High School on Friday and Saturday, March 23 and 24.

The play chosen for this season is "Mice and Men," a charming comedy made famous some years ago by Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson.

Miss Claire Vincent will play the leading role of Peggy, while Mr. R. Lendrum will taken the part of Mark Embury, the doctrinaire bachelor who has adopted Peggy with the idea of training her to be an ideal wife.

Under the direction of Major Bullock-Webster, the cast, numbering a dozen without the orphans, are putting forth every effort to make this play one of the best that the Players Club of the Victoria College has ever produced.

l'Alliance Francaise

At the March meeting of l'Alliance Francaise, to take place next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Laurel Lane, plans for a talk on Switzerland to be given toward the end of the month by Dr. Preiswerck will be discussed. All members and French-speaking visitors to the city are invited to next Wednesday's meeting.

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OPIUM CASE IS AIRED IN COURT

Chinaman Arrested in Theatre Alley Committed for Trial by Magistrate Jay

Sing, a Chinaman, charged with being in possession of opium on March 6, 1928, in Theatre Alley, was committed for trial by Magistrate George Jay yesterday in the city police court, at the conclusion of the preliminary hearing of the case.

The accused, through his counsel, Mr. Oswyn J. Bonlton, elected trial by a higher court, and pleaded not guilty to the charge preferred against him. The Crown called two witnesses, Constable J. Blackstock and Sergeant J. Florence, and the accused reserved his defence.

James Kennedy was fined $15 in the police court for assaulting George F. Beal. The date of the offence was February 16. The accused pleaded not guilty to the charge. Mr. P. J. Sinnott appeared as counsel for Kennedy.

E. M. Young, who was arrested in Vancouver for the Victoria City Police, and is alleged to have cashed a worthless cheque for $29.50 with T. N. Hibben & Company, Limited, on August 25, 1927, was further remanded until this morning for hearing.

A fine of $20 or five days in jail in default of payment, was imposed on Anthony Easton, who was convicted of driving his automobile to the common danger.

Several witnesses were examined in the case of Wong Bing Kee, who is charged with being in possession of opium. The case was remanded until Thursday, when further evidence will be heard. Mr. Stuart Henderson appeared as counsel for Wong Bing Kee.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, March 12.—Standard copper, spot £61 10s; futures £61 5s.

Electrolytic, spot £66 10s; futures £66 15s.

Tin, spot £229; futures £230 12s 6d.

Lead, spot £19 17s 6d; futures £20 7s 6d.

Zinc, spot £25 5s; futures £25 2s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 12.—Copper steady; electrolytic, spot and futures 14 1-8.

Tin, spot and futures 51.00.

Iron steady; 2 f.o.b. Eastern Pennsylvania 20.00; 2 f.o.b. Buffalo 16.50 to 17.00; 2 f.o.b. Alabama 16.00.

Lead irregular; spot, New York, 6.00; East St. Louis 5.85.

Zinc steady; East St. Louis, spot and futures 5.65 to 5.70.

Antimony, spot 10.25 to 10.37.

Quicksilver 120.00.

CHICAGO CASH GRAINS

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Wheat—3 R., 158½; 4 R., 153; 1 H., 139¾ to 140; 2 H., 138¼ to 139.

Corn—New: 3 M., 93 to 94; 4 M., 87½ to 91; 5 M., 84 to 86; 6 M., 80 to 84; 3 Y., 95 to 97¼; 4 Y., 90 to 95; 5 W., 85½ to 91¾; 6 Y., 82 to 85; 2 W., 97¼; 4 W., 94¼ to 96½; 4 W., 90 to 92¼; 5 W., 85 to 87; 6 W., 82 to 84. Old: 2 Y., 99 to 100; 3 Y., 98¼; 4 Y., 97; 6 Y., 96 to 97.

Oats—1 W., 60 to 60½; 2 W., 57½ to 59; 3 W., 54¾ to 59; 4 W., 54⅛ to 58.

Rye—No. 1, 118½; No. 2, 118½ to 119; No. 4, 113.

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Durant Del.	10⅝	10⅝
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Stutz	.15	.15⅛
Tob. Prod. Ex.	.03⅝	.03¾
Un. Profit Shar.	.08½	.09⅝
Un. Retail Candy	.05⅝	.05⅝
Cities Serv. Com	.58⅛	.58¼
Cities Serv. Pfd.	.99¼	.99¾
Cities Serv. Bkrs	.78½	.79
Am. Gas El.	1.41	1.43
Lehigh Pow. Secs	.25⅛	.26½
OILS		
Carib	.22¼	.23⅝
Federal	.14	.16
Int. Pete	.37¼	.37⅝
Marl. Mex.	.01⅝	.02⅛
Mexico Oil	.26	.32
Contl. Oil	.17¼	.17½
Pennock Oil	.05½	.06
Ryan Cons.	.04⅝	.05
Salt. Cr. Prod.	.31	.31¼
Salt. Cr. Cons.	.06⅛	.06⅝
Wilcox	.18⅝	.20
Conley Tinfoil	.13⅝	.14
Mount. Prod.	.26½	.26¾
MINES		
Arizona Globe	.03	.04
Butte & W.	.01	.03
Cons. Copr.	.08½	.08¾
Cresson	.02⅛	.02 3-16
Delores	.30	.50
Hecla	.16⅝	.16⅞
Hollinger	.17	.18
J. V. Devel	.17	.50
Kerr Lake	.55	.62
Mason Valley	.01⅝	.01¾
Nipissing	.05	.05¼
Ohio Copper	.62	.69
Teck Hughes	.08⅝	.09
Un. Eastern	.55	.62
Un. Verde Ex	.20¼	.20½

New York Stock Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 12.—Active buying of Radio was the feature of today's market. Special issues in demand at rising prices were General Electric, Baldwin, Montgomery-Ward, American Linseed, International Nickel, Hudson and Packard Motors. General Motors, the recent leader in the rallying market, was subjected to some realizing. Greene Cananea met with scattered pressure. Oil shares were in early supply following the easier tone of the Pan-American issues, but they rallied in the afternoon. In the rail department buying of standard issues was in progress with New York Central, Canadian Pacific and some of the merger rail shares in good demand. Independent steel issues were prominent in the afternoon advance, following the course of the premier steel issue, and probably this buying was induced by the favorable showing in the tonnage report of Saturday.

Both the U.S. Rubber report and the American Woollen earning statements were about in keeping with recent forecasts. The money rate was firmer at 4½ per cent, but that had no noticeable effect stock market wise. The Seminole area production figures trended below 300,000 barrels, according to reports of Saturday. This was the lowest since February, 1927, and compares with a peak of 527,400 barrels. A further decrease was reported in the California field for week of March 10. There is nothing as yet to indicate that the active buying in progress has run its course, but many issues are now at a level where they have to contend with increased profit taking. There appears to be more interest in the rail section of the list than for some time, and this section is beginning to look more attractive and may benefit by some shifting operations from the industrial section later on.

Today's Radio

Programme of Principal Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of Radio Dealers

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m. The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6:30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7:10, The closing market quotations by the B.C. Bond Corporation; weather reports and forecast; time signal by Wilkerson, jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—10:30 to 11:15 a.m., 6:30 to 7 p.m., 8 to 9 p.m., 10 to 11 p.m.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner hour. Hawaiian music. 8-8:15, Lecture, "The Millenium," C. W. Gerdes. 8:15-10, Emporium Glee Club programme.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m)—5-6 p.m., Kiddies' programme. 6-7, News flashes and sports. Totem Concert Orchestra. 7-8, Totem Concert Orchestra; talk, Fred Lynch, tenor. 8-10, N.B.C. programme. 10-11, Totem Mixed Quartette. 11-12:30, Herb. Wiedoeft and Recording Orchestra.

KFQW, Seattle, Wash. (217.3m)—1:15-4:30 p.m., "Little Journeys," travelogue. 4:30-5:30, Tea hour concert. 5:30-5:45, Amusement revue. 5:45-6, Financial service. 6-7:30, Shoppers' guide, dinner concert. 8:30-10, Harry Lone and Bill Wilson. 10-12 midnight, Dance programme.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—8:30-9:30 p.m., Organ recital. 9:30-10:30, Symphony Orchestra.

KFJR, Portland, Oregon (389.9m)—5-5:15, Oregon Journal news items. 5:15-5:30, Oregon Journal code class. 7-8, Oregon Journal Juniors. 9-10, Brunswick musical hour. 10-10:30, Music and thrift talk.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (358.6m)—5-5:30 p.m., Junior Hour. 5:45-6, New York stock quotations. 6-6:30, Sports, news, theatre resumes. 6:30-7:30, Vic Meyers' dinner concert. 7:30-8, Studio programme. 8-9, Lundquist-Lilly Two-Hearts Twins. 9-10, Studio programme. 10-11, Dance Orchestra.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291m)—10-11 a.m., Hour of music. 9-10 p.m., Jackie Souders and his Orchestra. 10-11, Dance music. 11:45 to 13:45 a.m., Organ recital.

KTA, San Francisco (361.2m)—5:30-7 p.m., Golden Gate Crver. 7-7:30, Morris Amsterdam programme. 8-8:30, California Sunshine Boys. 8:30-9, West Coast Theatres programme. 9-10, Programme by Roy Bobey and J. A. Mackenzie. 10-11, Cafe Apollo with Paul Kelli's Nine Orchestrians.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—3 10-3:30 p.m., Announcements. 3:20-4, Long Beach Municipal Band. 4-4:30, Late news, sporting events. 4:30-6, Piggy Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6-6:15, Happiness and Harmony. 6:15-6:45, Concert Orchestra. 6:45-7, Health talk. 7-8, Bear Cafe Jazz Orchestra. 8-8:10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8:10-8:30, Announcements. 8:30-9, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9-10, Ye Olde Song Album. 10-11, Majestic Ballroom Orchestra. 11-12 midnight, Organ recital. 12-1 a.m., Dance programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—6:20-6:30 p.m., News. 6:30-7, N.B.C. programme. 7-7:30, Dinner concert. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, "The Pilgrims."

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (341.2m)—5:15-5:45 p.m., Radio Review. 5:45-8, Town Crier. 8-8:30, Dinner music. 8:30-7, Harry Jackson and his entertainers. 7-7:30, Courtesy programme. 7:30-7:50, Musical programme. 7:50-8, Daily news. 8-9, KFWB Concert Quintette. 9-10, Sleepy Time hour. 10-11, Ed. Landry's Orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (422.3m)—4:30-5 p.m., Ye Towne Crier Service. 5-6, Children's Hour by Big Brother. 6-8:30, Daily Reo-logue. 6:30-7:30, KPO Dinner Orchestra. 8-8:30, N.B.C. programme. 8:30-9, Bridge Lesson No. 20 over N.B.C. 9-10, Kolster hour broadcast simultaneously with KPO and KFI. 10-11, N.B.C. programme. 11-12 midnight, KPO Dance Orchestra.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (260.7m)—2-4 p.m., Home management school. 4-5:15, Musical programme. 5:15-6, Kiddies' programme, "Uncle Andy." 6-7, Weather, service talks. 7-12 midnight, Musical programme.

KGW, San Jose, Cal. (296.9m)—5-5:30 p.m., Children's Hour. 5:30-6, Home Economics period. 6-6:15, Special U.S.D.A. features. 6:15-6:30, U.S.D.A. farm flashes. 6:30-6:40, U.S.D.A. farm school. 6:30-8:30, Farmers exchange. 6:30-8, California Farm Bureau news. 8-8, Exchange Club Quartette.

KFWI, San Francisco. (267.7m)—5-5:30 p.m., Brunswick concert. 5:30-5:45, Advance construction reports. 5:45-6, News flashes of the day. 6-7, California Songbird, Ada Williams, blues singer. 7-7:15, Sports review. 7:15-7:30, Columbia Outfitting Co. 8-8:30, Genevieve Chinn, the Sweetheart of the Air, Gleohall Taylor, accompanist. 8:30-9, Programme of Spanish and Mexican music, featuring Lupe Luna and Irene Perez. 9-11, The Cocoanut Club.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (399.8m)—4-4:15 p.m., Dr. Frank McCoy, talk on health. 4:30-5, Jewish Literature and History. 5-6, The Sunset Quartette. 6-6:15, Nightly Dolmas. 6:15-6:45, Orthophonic and Knabe Ampico programme. 6:45-7, World-wide news. 7-7:30, Los Angeles Police Department programme. 7:30-8, Sierra Seven. 8-9, Maxwell House Coffee programme. 9-10, KHJ Mixed Quartette and Concert Orchestra. 10-11, Cavaliers Dance Band.

KOIN, Portland, Oregon (319.0m)—5:15-6 p.m., Topsy-Turvy Time Club. 6-7, Heathman Hotel Pipe Organ. 7-7:15, Suggestions for amusement. 7:15-8, The Benson Hotel Orchestra. 8-8:15, Studio programme. 8:15-8:30, Oregon Humane Society. 8:30-8:40, Educational talk. 8:40-9:10, Halowat Question Hour. 9:10-9:30, Studio vaudeville feature.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.3m)—4 p.m., Dragon Hawaiian Trio. 4:30, Dragon Hawaiian Trio. 5, Big Brother Bob. 6, Dinner hour programme. 7, Nick Harris Detective stories. 7:30, Wm. McDonald, Scotch comedian. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Kolster hour. 10-11, N.B.C. programme.

KFRC, San Francisco (451.3m)—4-4:30, Library talk. 5:30-6:10, Mac and his Gang. 6:10-6:35, Fifteen minutes with stamp collectors. 6:35-6:50, Stage and screen. 6:30-7, Sports talk. 7-7:30, Charles Hamp entertains. 8-9, Hass' "Sweetheart Hour." 9-10, Plealy Wiggly programme. 10-11, Mark Hopkins' Dance Orchestra. 11-12 midnight, Roof Garden Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Oregon (491m)—6-6:30 p.m., Dinner Concert. 6:30-7, Checker Cab Co. programme. 7-7:30, Sealy Sam programme. 7:30-7:45, Utility service. 7:45-8, Book chat. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 8-10, Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra. 10-11, Dance programme over N.B.C.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (447.5m)—4:30-5:30 p.m., Big Brother and Opal. 5:30-6, Something about Everything. 6-6:30, Sperry Flour Sightseeing hour. 6:30-7, Studio programme. 7-8, Under the Crescent Moon. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra and soloists. 10-10:15, Something about Everything.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—4-5 p.m., Late recordings. 5-6, Sport events. 6-6:45, Mahlon Merrick's Orchestra. 6:45-7, Under the Crescent Moon. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Concert Orchestra. 10-12 midnight, Mahlon Merrick's Orchestra.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508.2m)—5:30-6:30 p.m., Brother Bob's Club. 6:30-7, Dinner concert. 7-7:30, News items. 8-9, Remar hour.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—5:45-6:45 p.m., "Who's Who" hour. 8:45-7:30, Shopping hour. 8-9, Lecture from Mills College. 9-10, Organ recital.

KEX, Portland, Oregon (277.8m)—5:30-8 p.m., Concert. 6-6:30, Time signals, announcements, one minute lecture. 6:30-7, Children's hour. 7-8, Dance Orchestra. 8-8:30, Studio programme. 8:30-9, Merry Mayfair Ramblers. 9-10, Studio programme. 10-10:05, Police reports. 10:05-13 midnight, Dance Frolic.

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Latest News From Wall Street

U.S. Rubber Company's report for 1927 reflects the decidely unsatisfactory conditions of affairs in the industry. Its sales were $193,442,945 below last year, a drop of $22,085,364 below the 1926 total, or 10.25 per cent more than accounted for by an average reduction in selling prices of 13½ per cent. The net income in 1927 after all deductions was $6,251,481, equal after preferred dividend to $1.26 a share earned on the $81,000,000 outstanding common stock. This compares with net income of $15,744,000 or $10.54 a share on common in 1926. C. B. Segard, chairman and president of the company, in his report points out that the entire reserve of $6,535,380 set up out of 1926 earnings as a protection against inventory depreciation has been wiped out, together with $8,910,679 from surplus. In connection with this adjustment he states that $8,000,000 was transferred from the surplus of U.S. Rubber Plantations, Inc., a subsidiary.

American Power Light reports year ended December 31, net equal to $4.85 a share on common, against $4.77 a share in 1927.

California Crude Oil output totalled 61,000 barrels daily, decrease of 3,500 from previous week.

Both Baldwin and Westinghouse are responding to definite indications that they are to be united.

Indications are not lacking that the Cuban sugar producers are much more confident on the outlook.

The bank statement did not contain much bullish ammunition, it showed actual deficit of $5,000,000 and average excess reserve of but $3,647,000. Average loans increased $9,000,000 while the actual loans showed drop of $45,000,000.

The increase of more than 122,000 tons in the unfilled orders of the Steel Corporation at the end of February was considerably better than has been expected up to the middle of last night.

Electrite Auto Lite earned $6.45 a share in 1927 against $7.11 in 1926.

Singer Manufacturing votes extra $5.50 a share.

The technical position of many stocks has been weakened by short covering and further advances are apt to lay the general market open to attack.

Journal of Commerce—Big jump in bills bought by Foreign Central Banks here. Retail trade lull is felt in Chicago. Bank debits advance 6.4 per cent in week. New Jersey Standard Oil said to block oil curtailment plan. Unfilled steel orders increased.

American Woollen reports for year 1927 a net profit, before depreciation, of $2,598,777. This profit, however, was more than absorbed by the charge for depreciation and the dividends paid during the first half of the year, so that surplus of $15,175,625 on December 31 is still further depleted from the surplus of December 31, 1926, but only to the extent of $421,596.

Continued expansion in export sales of American automobiles amounting to an increase of 20.3 per cent in 1927 as compared with 1926 is one of the encouraging factors in the industry's progress according to a published review.

There will be more than $2,000,000,000 turnover as of Thursday, the date of the treasury financing and the income tax payments. How the stock market carries through this period will afford one of the best possible tests.

Bond offerings today amount to $10,555,000. Ten million Warsaw seven per cent thirty-year issue at eighty-nine and interest heads the list.

National Cash Register reports gain in earnings. Net $4.69 a share in 1927 as against $4.51 in previous year.

Seminole Area for twenty-four hours ended 7 a.m. Saturday produced 298,788 barrels crude oil against 384,154 on Friday.

Central Alloy Steel in 1927 earned $1.56 a share on 1,296,371 common shares against $2.02 on 1,320,635 shares in 1926.

Canadian Pacific gross revenue for first week of March, $3,659,000 against $3,527,000 in the same week of 1927. For period January 1 to March 7, the gross was $33,254,000 against $30,625,000.

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Bid	Bell
1932, 1st May & Nov.	105.55	105.80
1937, 1st June & Dec.	110.35	110.50

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	102.30	103.45
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	106.15	106.40

(Payable New York)

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

1932, 1st May & Nov.	103.90	104.15
1934, 1st May & Nov.	105.05	105.30

DOMINION LOAN

1928, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100.00	100.25
1943, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	106.75	106.00
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½%	102.50	102.75
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	103.50	103.75
1946, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	103.60	103.95
1954, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	Mkt.	
1957, 1st Jan. & July (C.N.R.), 4½%	Mkt.	

Add accrued interest to date

1937, 162 days, 1.537 per $100		
1932, 1933, 1934, 132 days, 1.989 per $100.		
1928, 1943, 149 days, 2.041 per $100		
1944, 149 days, 1.827 per $100		
1946, 40 days, .493 per $100		

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ⅛ of 1%.

Bank Statement

OTTAWA, March 12.—Call loans held by Canadian banks outside Canada have decreased $47,905,426 during January, according to the bank statement issued by the Department of Finance. There was a decrease of about $49,000,000 in demand deposits held by the banks and an increase of $21,552,560 in savings deposits. Note circulation dropped over twenty millions.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 12. — Eggs steady, cheese stronger, and butter quieter:

Cheese—Westerns, 21½.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 41⅛ to 41¾.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 44 to 45; firsts, 42 to 43.

TO HOLD DEBATE

On Thursday the interassembly of Native Sons of Canada and Canadian Daughters will take the form of a debate—"Resolved That Canada Offers More Opportunities to Our Young Men and Women Than the United States." The Native Sons of Canada junior club will uphold the affirmative against the Victoria College.

INFORMATION THAT BUSINESS MEN NEED

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REALTORS MAY FLY TO CITY

MR. T. W. ZIMMERMAN OUTLINES PLANS FOR GREAT PARLEY HERE IN JULY

Prominent Speakers Coming — Mr. A. Carmichael Tells of Tentative Entertainment Events

A delegation of California realtors may come by aeroplane to Victoria in July to attend the annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Real Estate Association here during that month, Mr. T. W. Zimmerman, secretary of the association, told members of the Real Estate Board of Victoria yesterday, at a luncheon session held in Spencer's private dining-room.

Mr. Zimmerman stated that Mr. Harry Culver, well-known real estate man of the South, and founder of Culver City, California, was anxious to have the California contingent fly to this city. The speaker said that such an expedition would prove of great advertising value, both for the city and convention, for "the eyes of all the country would be focussed on Victoria when the planes from the south landed here."

REAL CONVENTION

"We want to make the realtors' convention in Victoria, from July 18 to 21, the best one we have ever held, and the biggest in point of attendance," he said. "The association embraces the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, and the province of British Columbia, and at the national convention last year, at Seattle, there were 600 realtors present from the Pacific Northwest district."

A number of prominent realtors will address the convention, including the president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, and the president of the California association. There will be a conference extending over three days on real estate selling, an interesting discussion on taxation, and a variety of topics of especial value and interest to the profession.

MODERN METHODS NEEDED

"People who are still carrying on their businesses in the same way they did twenty-five years ago will go broke. We are living in an age of progress and advancement. These conventions enable us to find out what are the newest things and methods in real estate and financing, and to apply them to our business. It is necessary that we employ modern methods in our work," Mr. Zimmerman observed. The delegates would like to combine the vacation period with the business programme. He suggested that a style show and a bathing beauty contest would prove attractive entertainment features.

Mr. Alfred Carmichael, chairman of the convention entertainment committee, outlined plans for the entertainment of the delegates. It was proposed, he said, to have a dance on the opening night, July 18. A water gala would likely be held at the Crystal Garden on the following evening, and on July 20 there would be the five-minute cup contest. The closing night would witness a banquet, style show and cabaret. Suggestions from realtors for entertainment features would be welcomed by the committee, he stated.

President A. R. Wolfenden welcomed to the gathering Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, Mr. J. P. Dougherty, provincial superintendent of insurance, and Mr. W. E. Crane, of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

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Enjoyable Concert At St. Martin's Hall

The people of St. Martin's, the Gorge, were given a rare pleasure last Thursday night, when Mr. Frank Tupman, with the choir of the Centennial Church, gave an excellent concert and entertainment in St. Martin's Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild. Every number was enthusiastically applauded, and the congregation of St. Martin's expressed their sincere appreciation and thanks for the kindly spirit which led Mr. Tupman and Centennial Church Choir, and Mr. Alf Adams to give so generously of their time and talents.

Following was the programme: Chorus, "In Thee O Lord"; solo, "Young Loyalist," J. W. Buckler; solo, "Little Damozel," Mrs. Tupman; chorus, "You Stole My Love"; humorous songs (a) "Bachelors" (b) "My Eyeglass," Mr. Alf Adams; violin, "Broken Melody," G. Brown-Cave; chorus, "Orpheus With His Lute"; shadowgraph, J. Almond, F. Hall, F. Mealing; ventriloquist, Mrs. W. Patterson; solo and chorus, "Golden Banjoes," J. W. Buckler and choir; solo, "Rustic Bridge," Mrs. Trevor; violin solo, G. Brown-Cave; chorus, "Keel Row"; humorous songs, (a) "My Dreams" (b) "Shakespeare," Alf Adams; chorus, "Sweet and Low"; duet, "Flow Gently, Deva," J. W. Buckler, F. L. Tupman; chorus, "Hymn to Music"; accompanist, Mrs. M. F. Mathews; conductor, Frank L. Tupman.

EAGLES MEETING

Victoria Aerie, No. 12, F.O.E., will hold a social after the business session on Wednesday. All members of Eagle bowling and baseball teams are invited. Brother Jasper will provide his usual excellent entertainment. The business session will be held at 7:30 o'clock sharp and the social at 9 o'clock.

A London Letter

Mr. Amery's Impressions of His Canadian Tour Form Interesting Topic of Conversation in London—Lord Byng Describes Trip Up Mackenzie River in Lecture at King's College for Women—European Federation of Soroptomists Meets in England

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

LONDON, Feb. 16.—(By Mail.)—Monday morning was cold and rainy, but a drearier day would have been lighted by the glow of Mr. Amery's beaming face and genial welcome when the press met him at the Dominions Office to hear his impressions of the Empire tour, from which he and Mrs. Amery had returned only the day before.

Mr. Amery's words of enthusiasm for all he had seen were given real point by the health and enjoyment that radiated from him. Obviously he enjoyed the tour, and, in answer to a question, said it has exceeded even his high expectations. He spoke of the growing national spirit in each Dominion, and, very proudly, of their pride in being free, co-operative members of the Empire. More than ever Mr. Amery realizes the value of the personal contact, in dealing with matters of State. Five minutes of real talk, he said, are worth pages of dispatches, and in an Empire such as ours, where the only bond is that of spirit and understanding, personal intercourse is of vital importance, and no Dominions Secretary can fairly do his work without knowing, at first hand, the people and the conditions in all parts of the Empire.

The skill of the statesman is a marvelous thing to see. Questions were invited, and the opportunity was seized by several ardent souls to ask Mr. Amery his views on economic conditions, Imperial trade, and emigration within the Empire. Everyone was answered, courteously and, apparently, with complete frankness, and it was only in the later, reflective moment, on top of the bus going home, that one grasped that the Secretary of State for the Dominions had given the impression that all was very well in these important branches, but he had committed himself to nothing.

In this connection the definite success of the deputation of the Canadian Navy League to this country, to further a scheme of assisting men and their families to settle in Canada, is a real satisfaction to all who desire that Canada should have the best type of immigrant available.

Mr. Robert Culver, secretary of the British Dominions Emigration Society (of which H.R.H. Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, is president), went to Canada last May and interested the Navy League of Canada in the work of his society. Thanks to the energy and fine enthusiasm of Lieut.-Col. Cecil Williams, Dominion secretary of the League, an arrangement has been made whereby the two societies co-operate in helping British subjects to find work and a new start in life in Canada. Many people there have friends at home wishing to try their luck in the new country, but not able to find means for the initial expenses. On the representation of their Canadian friends to the Navy League, these people can obtain grants or loans from the emigration society here, and on their arrival in Canada will be met, given help and advice and assisted to their journey's end by the league and its affiliated society, the I.O.D.E. Furthermore, the league is prepared to find five hundred positions for industrial workers and skilled mechanics as well as for agricultural laborers, and guarantee them for a year, while the emigration society will select suitable people to fill them. This sound scheme of mutual help, inspired by the finest Imperial spirit, is a great feather in the cap of both societies concerned. Lieut. Col. Bertram, who gave me many of these details, is immensely pleased with the success of the deputation's visit to England.

LORD BYNG ON CANADA

Whenever Lord Byng of Vimy speaks of Canada and of his years out there, he speaks with such a delightful, understanding friendliness, and such a wide knowledge of the country and people, that I come away with a shrewd suspicion he knows us rather better than most of us know ourselves. On Monday afternoon, February 13, in his lecture at King's College for Women, Lord Byng's charm of description made the difficulties and discomforts of the trip up the Mackenzie River seem merely amusing details of an ideal holiday journey, and his appreciation of the community life and true religious spirit of the Eskimo tribe he visited was very wonderful, considering the handicap, gently admitted, that none of the tribe spoke any English, and this his Eskimo "was faulty." Lord Byng warned his audience against the visitors to Canada thinking they can teach Canadians what they should do, and how they should do it. Wise advice, on the whole, but, from such a kindly and appreciative friend, there is surely much of value that we would be willing to learn.

THE SOROPTIMISTS

The tremendous appeal of the spirit of Soroptimism, and its growth and development in this country and on the Continent was proved by the success of the first conference of the European Federation of Soroptimists, held in London this week. Delegates came from clubs in France and Holland, but, unfortunately, the Italian representative was prevented by illness from being present. An American Soroptimist visitor attended the meetings, which were remarkable for their vitality and interest.

The foreign guests of the club were entertained on several occasions, apart from the official functions. On February 14 Kathleen Viscountess Falmouth gave a delightful luncheon in their honor at the Hotel Washington; the French delegates were invited to lunch at the Ladies' Empire Club on February 15; a reception was given at the Forum Club on the evening of February 14, and the delegates were again the guests of honor at the annual banquet of the London Soroptimists, held at Prince's Restaurant on February 15.

This banquet was very largely attended. The list of speakers included Lord Riddell, Lady Maude Hoare, D.B.E., who took the place of her husband, Sir Samuel Hoare, so successfully that Lord Riddell suggested her joining the club as "orator"; Professor Winifred Cullis on the subject of "Fellowships for University Women"; Sir Philip Gibbs on "Literature," and Mr. St. John Ervine on the drama. Mr. Ervine characteristically contradicted everything the previous speakers said, and drove home his points with an undefeatable wit and richness of voice that made him a dangerous man to cross. When he destroyed Sir Philip Gibbs' cherished argument that literature was written for the whole world, and was the great instrument of breaking down barriers between nation and nation by contending that the men who had done the finest work had written for their own small community, and that the greatest artist of all wrote only for himself, even Sir Philip was moved to a noble, but despairing "hear, hear!" Mr. Ervine concluded with a hope that the "Tired Business Woman" is not to take the place of the "Tired Business Man" and the "Tired Flapper," who have for so long been the arbiters of the national taste in drama. He dropped his solution of the club name, "a bright young thing," into a slightly stunned silence, but even he paid tribute to the club spirit of service and co-operation.

WELCOME MRS. AMERY

There was a true atmosphere of welcome to Mrs. Amery at the reception given to greet her on February 16, by Viscountess Harcourt, at Claridge's Hotel. Lady Harcourt voiced the feelings of the many guests in a few words of sincere pleasure at her return. Mrs. Amery, in reply, said that the trip had been a wonderful inspiration to herself and her husband, and that the kindness shown to them, wherever they went, would never be forgotten. Though Mrs. Amery went quite unofficially with the party, and did no public work, her influence and charm were undoubtedly important factors in the success of the tour. Among those who attended the reception were the Hon. Mrs. Norman Grosvenor, Dame Meriel Talbot, the Hon. Lady Talbot, Miss Pott, Lady Davison, Lady Albinia Donaldson and Miss Donaldson, Miss Smith-Ryland, Mrs. Geoffrey Dawson, Miss Jacqueline Trotter, Mr. McNaughten, Mr. Plant, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Noxon, Dr. Lemieux, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greenfield, Lady Goold-Adams, and Mrs. Arthur Pepler. The Hon. Peter and Mrs. Larkin had accepted the invitation, but were not able to be present.

The luncheon, given by the Empire Producers' Organization, on February 17, to welcome the Rt. Hon. L. S. Amery and Mrs. Amery, was so popular that the chairman of the council, Mr. Ben H. Morgan, prefaced his speech by regrets for the number of applicants for seats that had, alas, to be refused. Mr. Morgan said twice the number of guests would like to have come to do honor to the returned Secretary of State for the Dominions. I feel sure, too, that all were glad to show appreciation of the work of this splendid organization and of its able chairman, Mr. Morgan, whose health was proposed by Sir Hugh Denison, late representative of the Commonwealth of Australia in the United States. It was received with great enthusiasm by all those who know the fine effort achieved by Mr. Morgan in the cause of Imperial co-operative trade. Mr. Amery made a short and intensely interesting speech, repeating his deep impression of the growth of national spirit in the Dominions and making a sincere appeal for the free co-operation of all units of the Empire, to keep the enormous creative power of production within the Empire. Mr. and Mrs. Noxon and Mr. P. K. Hodgson were among the guests, who included representatives from all overseas Dominions.

LONDON THEATRES

The production of "Romeo and Juliet," the first Shakespearean play in the redecorated "Old Vic," has the great charm of Miss Jean Forbes-Robertson's youthful and exquisite portrayal of Juliet. One is accustomed to the excellent diction of the Old Vic company, in general but it is always a source of joy to hear the beautiful words so clearly spoken. In spite of her youth, Miss Forbes-Robertson has an impressive emotional quality, and, in the bedroom scene, especially, rose to very great heights. She is possessed of a very attractive seriousness that catches at the heart, in some intense moments, and her grace in the gayer scenes is utterly delightful. Mr. Eric Portman is romantic and impetuous, as Romeo, and the only possible criticism of this production is that so admirable an artist as Ernest Milton, as Mercutio, should give a performance which, though excellent in its skill, rather fails to give the character its most endearing aspect. What is worse, Mr. Milton was the only member of the cast who sometimes was difficult to hear.

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COWICHAN SCHOOLS ACT BEFORE HOUSE

A bill to amend the Duncan and North Cowichan Schools Act, 1922, was introduced into the Legislature yesterday by Mr. C. F. Davie, Conservative, Cowichan-Newcastle.

Redefinition of boundaries affecting school districts in North Cowichan is the purpose of the measure.

Premier MacLean stated that he wished to correct an impression that the business of the House was being rushed through. "I wish to make a statement, Mr Speaker, that we are here to do the business of the country, and there will be ample opportunity for the discussion of that business before the end of the present session," the Premier declared.

Mr. A. W. Despard Dies

OTTAWA, March 12.—Arthur Wesley Despard, chief of the Canadian Government Exhibition Commission, Department of Immigration and Colonization, and internationally known for his work in connection with world expositions of the past quarter of a century, died at his home here Sunday morning.

Mr. Despard, fifty-two years of age, had been in ill health for the past few years.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

RADIO SOARS 18 POINTS IN DAY'S MARKET

Volume of Business on New York Exchange Breaks All Records — Turnover of 3,909,000 Shares

C.P.R. ADVANCES TO PRICES OF 215⅛

Net Gains of Five Points Made in Number of Leading Issues—Bond Market Turns Easier

NEW YORK, March 12.—Radio Corporation common stock soared eighteen points to a new peak price to 138½ on rumors of a technical corner in that issue. Today's market broke all records for a single day's sales with a turnover of 3,909,000 shares.

General Electric, which possesses large Radio holdings, soared more than seven points to a new peak at 140¼, closing within a fraction of the top.

Although little attention was paid generally to week-end trade developments, the buying of U.S. Steel common, which scored extreme gains of more than four points, to 149¼, undoubtedly was influenced by the unexpectedly large increase of more than 120,000 tons in unfilled orders last month.

General Motors again changed hands in large volume, closing 1¼ points at 126½, after absorbing large profit-taking sales between 156⅛ and 158¾.

Net gains of five or more points also were recorded by Adams Express, Baldwin, General Cable "A," Gold Dust, International Harvest, International Nickel, Wright Aeronautical, Woolworth.

Canadian Pacific Railway went up nearly five points to 215⅛ but lost half of the gains on profit-taking.

Sterling ruled slightly lower at $4.87 29-32 and French francs were unchanged.

Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged from Saturday. Call money rate was advanced from 4¼ to 4½ per cent.

Easing tendencies appeared in today's bond market, although a few issues were bid up into new high territory.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Allis Chalmers	119	119	119
Allied Chem	155	153-2	155
Ameranda Corpn	31-2	31-3	31-2
Am. Can	62-4	61-5	62-1
Am Car & Fdy	107	107	107
Am. For Power	34-4	34-3	34-3
Am. Locomotive	111-0	111-1	111-3
Am. Smelters	176	174	174
Am. Steel Fdy	60-7	64-3	65-2
Am. Sugar	61	60	61
Am. Sum. Tob.	50-1	50-1	50-1
Am. Tel & Tel	162	181-3	180-0
Am. Tobacco	169-0	188	169-6
Am. Tobacco B	170-3	167-4	170-2
Am. Woolens	23-1	33	33-1
Anaconda	55	54-4	54-4
Armour A	14-3	14-1	14-1
Ass'd Dry Goods	42-1	43-1	42-1
Atlantic Gulf	44-2	43-1	43-4
Atlantic Refinery	108-0	107-4	107-4
Atchison	185-4	184-2	185-4
Baldwin Loco	362-4	375	360
Baltimore & Ohio	111-7	110-3	111-4
Banzor & Ar'st'k	74-4	74-4	74-4
Bethlehem Steel	62-3	60-6	62-3
Brooklyn Manhat	64-3	63-3	64-3
California Pack'g	70-4	75-7	75-7
California Pete	26-1	26-1	26-1
Calumet & Ariz.	93-4	92	92-4
Can. Pacific	215	213	212
Cerro De Pasco	62-7	61-4	62
Certain-teed Prod	56-4	56-2	56-2
Chesap'ke & Ohio	192-5	190	191
Chile Copper	36	37-6	37-6
Chi. Gt. Western	11	10-2	11
Chi. & Northwest	61-6	61-4	61-4
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	110-3	109-4	110
Chrysler Motor	64-6	63-3	63
Coco Cola	137-5	130-3	137-4
Congoleum-Nairn	34-6	24-2	34-4
Col. Fuel & Iron	76-1	73-6	74-3
Columbia Gas	90-7	90-1	90-7
Cons Gas	135-6	134-6	135-3
Cont. Oil	17-4	17-4	17-4
Cont. Motor	10-3	10-2	10-3
Corn Products	74	72	71
Crucible Steel	69	66-7	66
Curtiss Aero	61-7	57-4	61-2
Davison Chemical	39-7	39-4	39-7
Dodge Bros.	16-4	16-1	16-4
Dodge Bros., pfd	70	69-6	69-7
Dupont Powder	351-4	350	350-0
Eastman Kodak	169	160-1	166-2
Elec. Power	37-7	36-6	37-2
Elec. Refrigerator	13-0	13-4	13-5
Erie	54-6	53-1	54-4
Famous Players	120-6	119	120-4
Foundation Co.	44-6	44	44
Fox Film "A"	79-6	79-2	79-2
Fleischmann Co.	71-5	69-6	70-7
Freeport, Texas	61	70-4	79-4
Gabriel Snubbers	16-6	18-6	16-6
General Am. Tank	67-2	66	66-2
General Asphalt	61-7	60-4	61-1
General Cigar	85-7	65-2	65-4
Gen. Electric	140	136-2	139-3
Gen. Motors	158-6	150-4	150-4
Gen Ry. Signal	101-6	94-4	100-3
Gold Dust	102-3	94-6	101
Goodrich Rubber	61-0	60	60
Granby	43-7	43-2	42-4
Great North. Ore	21-5	31-5	31-5
Great North., pfd	95-6	95-5	95-5
Gt. West Sug.	33-4	32-4	32-4
Greene Cananea	131-7	129-4	130-3
Gulf States Steel	55-1	54	55-1
Houston Oil	137	134	135-4
Howe Sound	45-6	45	45-2
Hudson Motor	94-6	91-6	93-4
Hupp Motors	46-3	43-1	45-7
Illinois Central	130-2	135-3	130-2
Imperial Oil	59-3	59-1	59-3
Inspiration	18-4	18-4	18-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	51-7	48-1	51-5
Intl. Harvester	344	344	344
Int'l Match, pfd	106-3	100-1	105-4
Int'l Paper	74-3	71-1	72-4
Int. Pete	37-7	37-7	37-7
Int. Mer. Mar., pfd	39	36-6	39
Int. Nickel	94	89-1	93-4
Int. Tel. & Tel.	149-3	148-4	149-3
Johns Manville	114-4	113-6	114
Kan. City South	56-4	54-0	55-5
Kennecott Copper	61-5	60-2	60-6
Lehigh Valley	66-7	67	66-7
Louis. & Nash	147-3	147-2	147-3
Mack Truck	97	93-3	96-6
Manhatten Elec	53-3	52	53-1
Marland Oil	35-6	35-3	35-5
Marlin-Rockwell	46-1	45-5	45-5
Mid Continent Pete	37-3	27	27
Miss. Pacific	46-7	46-6	46-7
Montana Power	164-6	163	164-4
Montgomery Ward	143	136	140
Nash Motors	87-4	85-2	87
National Biscuit	170-3	170-3	170-3
Natl. Cash Reg	51-7	51	51-7
Natl. Dairy Prod	70	67-6	69-5
N.Y. Air Brake	44-2	44-3	44-3
Norfolk & West	181-4	181-4	181-4
North American	61-4	61-3	61-3
Northern Pacific	95-7	95-5	95-5
N.Y. Central	164	163-6	163-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	62-6	61-4	62-4
N.Y., Ont. & West.	39-3	39-3	39-3
Packard Motor	68-4	65-1	66-4
Pan. American B	42-4	41-6	42-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	60-5	60-2	60-2
Pere Marquette	99	98	99
Phillips Pete	39	38-5	39
Pierce Arrow	12-2	13-3	12-2
Producers & Ref	20	19-4	19-4
Pullman Co.	82-7	82	82-2
Radio	138	120-4	130
Reading	99	98	99
Rep. Iron & Steel	62-7	61-3	62-4
Royal Dutch	45-3	45-3	45-3
Seaboard Air Line	15-5	14-7	15-5
Schulta	51-4	50-7	51
Sears Roebuck	89-7	87	88
Shattuck-Denn	13-4	13-4	13-4
Shell Union	35-6	25-4	35-6
Simmons Co.	63	59-1	60-3
Sinclair Cons.	21-6	21-1	31-1
Sloss Sheffield	121-2	130-2	131-3
Southern Pac.	120	119-3	119-6
Southern Railway	143-7/8	143-4	143-7
Standard Milling	109-3	100-2	109-3
Standard Gas	62-5	62	62-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	55-5	55	55
Standard Oil, N.J.	39-3	39	39
Standard Oil, N.Y.	39-7	39-5	39-6
Standard Oil, Ind.	72-6	72-6	73-6
Stewart Warner	87-7	84-5	66-4
St. Louis & S. Fran.	116-4	115-4	115-4
Stromburg Carb.	53-3	53	53-3
Studebaker	64-7	62-2	62-6
Texas Co.	53	51-5	51-7
Texas Gulf Sulphur	74-5	73	74
Texas Pacific R.R.	117-6	115	117
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	13-6	13-4	13-4
Timken Roller	133-4	117-4	131-3
Tobacco Prod.	108-7	100-7	100-7
Union Oil of Cal.	47-6	47-4	47-6
Union Pacific	163-6	162-3	163-4
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	300-4	201-2	205-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	113-4	113	112-4
U.S. Rubber	44-7	43	44-2
U.S. Steel	149-3	145	147-7
Underwood Typ.	67-4	00	06
Union Carbide	149-3	144-7	149
Universal Pipe	34-4	34-4	24-4
Vanadium	66-6	60-7	63-6
Victor Talk Mach.	72-4	71-1	72
Wabash	64-4	61-2	63-6
Westing. Air Brake	56	53-7	53-7
Westing. Elec.	105-4	102-4	103
White Motor	34	33-1	34
Willys Overland	30-7	20-3	20-6
Woolworth	166	184-4	186
Wright Aer. Corn.	82	76	61-4
Yale Towne	73	73	73
Yoston Sh. & Tu.	91	69	90
Yel. Trk & Coach	31-5	29-4	31-2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 12—Foreign exchanges steady.

France—3.93¼, cables 3.93¾.
Italy—5.27 13-16, cables 5.36 5-16.
Belgium—13.93⅝.
Germany—23.89.
Holland—40.21.
Norway—26.62.
Sweden—26.81½.
Denmark—26.57.
Switzerland—19.25.
Spain—10.66.
Greece—1.22.
Poland—.1125.
Czechoslovakia—2.96¼.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—.1410.
Rumania—.81½.
Argentina—42.75.
Brazil—13.00.
Tokio—40.84.
Shanghai—63.50.
Montreal—99.93¾.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 13—Demand 487 9-16, cables 487 39-32, sixty-day bills on banks 483¾.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 486¾, selling 489¾.

Victoria Stock Exchange

MORNING QUOTATIONS

Mining

	Bid	Asked
Argenta	.53	.56
Bayview	.10½	.12
Cork Province	.50	.55
Dalhousie		45
George Copper	4.60	5.75
Glacier		.06
Goiconda	.90	1.00
Independence	.31½	.35
Indian Mines	.09	.12
Kootenay Florence	.34	.30
L. & L.	.12	
Lakeview	.06¼	.06½
Leadsmith		.07
Lucky Jim	.40	
Marmot Metals		.21
National Silver (G.B.)		.23
Pend Oreille, com.	17.50	16.50
Premier	3.73	2.60
Porter-Idaho	.90	
Richmond		.30
Rufus	.53	.55
Ruth Hope	.57	.65
Selkirks	.03½	.05
Silver Crest	.11	.13
Silversmith		.33
Slocan King	.10	.13
Sunloch	3.35	4.40
Terminus	.33	.35
Whitewater, com.		3.20
Woodbine	.50	

Oils

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Montana	.00 3-16	.00¼
British Petroleum	.04	.06
Illinois-Alberta	.50	
Maple Leaf	.14	.17

Local Curb Stocks

	Bid	Asked
Grandview	.74	.79
Goldsmith	.03½	.05
Malaspina	.16½	.18½
Beaver	.30	.25
Caufield	14.00	17.00
Georgia River	.42	.46
Oregon Metals	3.25	
C. & E. Lands		26.00
Silver Tip		10.00
Stewart Lands		.28
Wellington	.27	.30
George Enterprise		.25½
Nor Light		.30
Marmot Gold	.09	.10½

Sales

1,000 Grandview at .75; 1,000 Lakeview at .06¼; 1,000 Marmot Metals at .19; 300 Porter-Idaho at .90; 10 Caufield at 15.00; 200 Georgia River at .43; 500 at .43; 1,000 Marmot Gold at .09½; 150 at .10½; 1,000 Wellington at .38.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, March 12.—There was little change in values on the local stock exchange today, although the volume of trading was heavier, with Porter-Idaho and Marmot Metals leading in the demand. Large blocks of shares in these issues were taken up.

On a fairly large turnover, Pend Oreille closed with a net loss on the day's operations of 15 cents at $18.35, and Premier 4 cents at $2.75. Whitewater, common, was in demand and closed with a net gain of 25 cents at $2.95, while B.C. Silver advanced 10 cents to $1.20. On small trading George Copper hardened 25 cents to $4.75.

Big Missouri lost 1 cent; Cork Province, Grandview and Rufus eased off 2 cents, and Woodbine 1½ cents. Price changes in the balance of the list were mixed.

Total sales 397,337 shares; value $160,827.

MORNING SALES

1,000 Argenta at .51; 500 at .52. 100 B.C. Silver at 1.33; 200 at 1.35; 3,000 Bayview at .11; 1,000 Big Missouri at .55; 9,000 Boundary Red at .03¼; 3,000 Cork Province at .50; 3,000 at .51; 300 Cotton Belt at 1.00; 300 at 1.03; 500 Dunwell at .26; 1,000 Georgia River at .44; 500 Glassir at .48; 1,500 Grandview at .75; 750 at .73½; 5,500 at .73; 350 at .73½; 3,700 at .74; 500 Golconda at .83½; 500 at .93; 1,000 Terminus at .21½; 500 Whitewater at 3.75; 100 at 3.80; 40,000 B.C. Montana at .00¾; 5,000 Independence at .23½; 3,000 at .33½; 7,000 Kootenay Florence at .34½; 350 at .35; 4,500 L. & L. at .13; 1,000 at .14; 3,000 at .15; 1,500 Lakeview at .06¾; 5,000 at .06⅝; 3,500 at .06½; 2,000 at .00⅝; 7,000 at .06¾; 4 B.C. Electric, pfd., at 107.00; 2,000 Leadsmith at .04; 1,000 at .04¼; 2,600 Lucky Jim at .42; 3,500 at .42½; 13,000 Marmot at .19⅝; 2,500 at .19¾; 16,600 at .20; 7,500 Woodbine at .52. 500 A. P. Consolidated at .38; 3,000 British Petroleum at .04; 100 Sunloch at 3.50; 500 at 3.75; 1,000 Silversmith at .30; 100 Silverado at 1.00; 53,000 Silver Crest at .12½; 3,000 Selkirks at .03¾; 18,500 Ruth Hope at .56; 5,000 at .57; 100 Rufus at .55; 1,000 at .56; 1,000 at .57; 14,600 Porter-Idaho at .90; 3,000 at .91; 5,300 at .93; 1,200 Premier at 3.75; 20 Pend Oreille at 18.35; 1,520 at 18.50; 100 at 18.55.

AFTERNOON SALES

200 B.C. Silver at 1.25; 2,000 Bayview at .10¾; 2,000 at .11; 100 Big Missouri at .56; 500 at .57; 200 at .58; 3,000 Boundary Red Mountain at .03½; 1,600 Cork Province at .50; 1,000 at .50½; 250 at .51; 100 Cotton Belt at 1.00; 100 at 1.02; 300 Georgia River at .44; 1,000 Gladstone at .00; 500 Grandview at .70; 2,000 at .71; 2,000 at .73; 400 at .73; 8,000 Independence at .22½; 9,000 at .33¾; 4,000 at .34; 1,000 Slocan at .10; 5,000 at .10¼; 775 Whitewater at 2.75; 200 at 3.80; 100 at 3.85; 500 at 2.90; 3,000 at 3.00; 1,000 Woodbine at .53; 300 at .52½; 10,100 Kootenay Florence at .24; 2,300 at .34½; 4,500 Lakeview at .06¾; 5,000 B.C. Gold at .01; 5,000 Leadsmith at .04½; 2,000 Lucky Jim at .42; 3,250 at .42½; 500 Marmot Metals at .30; 8,000 at .20¾; 770 Pend Oreille at 18.50; 300 Premier at 2.75; 500 Porter-Idaho at .90; 1,500 at .90½; 1,300 Richmond at .16; 1,000 Rufus at .51; 3,000 Ruth Hope at .58¾; 2,500 Selkirks at .03¾; 2,000 Silver Crest at .13½; 500 Standard Silver at .22; 200 Sunloch at 3.60.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, March 12.—A firmer undertone developed in the raw sugar market early today. Prices advanced 1-32 cents to the basis of 4.49 for Cuban. Sales included about 50,000 bags of Porto Rican for March shipment at 4.46 and 43,000 bags of Cuban in the same position at 4.49. Prices at midday were unchanged at 5.70 to 5.75 for fine granulated, with a fair inquiry reported.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 12. — Corn—When on less than a four-cent break from extreme top prices, it is possible to work carlots of corn for export, we have a market with some inherent strength. This sort of news largely offsets total visible that are approaching last year's figures. Corn on passage totals only about half as much as a year ago.

It will be recalled, however, large accumulations of stocks of corn did not prevent prices last Summer from being higher than now.

Wheat — Decreasing wheat supplies on passage, in spite of heavy weekly clearances fro mother exporting countries, and a total on passage of 5,000,000 less than last year, gives some idea of the absorbtive power of buyers in Europe under prevailing conditions. Excess of our own visible over those of last year is constantly decreasing. There were some indications again today of foreign buying of our future deliveries. Since disappearance up to end of February of about 20,000,000 more than last season, there has been reason for further improvement of price level if new crop conditions favor advances.

General—There reached Chicago today from Washington official copies of Senator Capper's latest contribution to the literature favoring bureaucratic control of business built up by private capital during an extended period of years. This contains about all the radical suggestions, as affecting the Grain Exchange, of which we have ever heard. Under the terms of this new bill, about all that is left to the exchanges is responsibility to conduct a supposedly open public market, conditions which would make such a market impossible. Restricted trading for traders, but unlimited hedging and governmental market operations is provided for. Federal inspection of grain to be offered on contract, or delivered on contract, federal determination of what shall be contracted grade and at what differentials federal rules for every detail of conduct of future trading, with absolute authority to determine in what quantities an individual may trade below the maximum to be fixed by law, federal control of trading credit, including marginal deposits; these are among the provisions of the bill. It is well designed as a companion to the McNary-Haugen bill to deliver the grain marketing machinery to a government agency without compensation.

Liverpool due ⅝ to ½ up.

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	136½	136¾	136	136¾
May	136¾	137	135¾	136½
July	134½	134¾	134	134¾
Sept	133¾	133¾	133½	133¾
Corn—				
March	93½	94¼	93¼	94¼
May	96¾	97¼	96½	97¼
July	99¾	100¼	99¾	100
Oats—				
March	54¾	55¼	54	55¼
May	55½	56¼	55¼	56¼
July	52¼	53¼	53	52¾
Rye—				
March	116½	117	116½	116¾
May	117¼	117¾	117	117¾

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	4.20	
Baldwin	.02½	
Barry Hollinger	1.10	
Bidgood	1.18	
Buckingham	.07½	.07½
Crona	.10¾	
Duprat	.09	
Goldhill	.39	
Searsmark	1.40	1.43
Malartic	1.11	
McDougall	.60	
Nipissing	5.05	
Premier	3.65	
Ribazo	.13¼	
Sladacona Rouyn	.17	
Tough Oakes	.81	
Teck Hughes	8.85	8.90
Wright Hargraves	5.35	
Jackson Manion	.80	
Sudbury Basin	9.10	
Crown Reserve	.50	
Pioneer	.59	
Pend Oreille	18.00	
Argonaut	.21	

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 12.—Bar silver, 26 5-16d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 12.—Bar silver, 57⅞. Mexican dollars, 44.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Last
Alta. Pacific Grain	64	62-6	64
Abitibi	76-3	76-2	76-2
Asbestos	30	29-4	29-4
Asbestos, pfd.	91	91	91
Atlantic Sugar	20-6	20-6	20-6
Bell Telephone	165	165	165
Brazilian Trac.	206	203-4	207
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	8	9	8
Brompton Paper	59-2	55-4	58-2
Can. Bronze	80	80	80
Can. Celanese, com.	61	61	61
Can. Cement, com.	32	32	32
Can. Cement, pfd.	99-7	99-7	99-7
Can. Car Fdy., com.	52	52	52
Can. Car Fdy., pfd	94-7	94-7	94-7
Can. S.S., com.	33-2	33	33
Can. S.S., pfd.	95	92	93
Can. Cottons	135	135	135
Can. Converters	117	116	116
Can. Ind. Alcohol	42	41-1	41-2
Cons. M. & S.	369	366	366
Dom. Bridge	70	69-3	70
Dom. Glass	130	130	130
Dom. Textile	135	125	135
Dryden Paper	44	44	44
Hiram Walker	60	60	60
Howard Smith	65-4	65-4	65-4
L. of Woods Mlg.	170	170	170
Massey Harris	39	38	39
McColl Frontenac	33	31-4	32
Montreal Power	90	90	90
National Breweries	133	133	133
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	400	400	400
Pennman's, Ltd.	101	101	101
Shawinigan	91	91	91
Spanish River Pulp	133	133	133
Steel of Can.	190	180-4	190
Winnipeg Elec.	125	123-4	123-4
Imp. Tobacco	9	9	9

Winnipeg Grain

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, March 12.—Trading in wheat on the local market was the smallest in weeks, the market being extremely quiet throughout the day, being practically all local and no outside orders coming in. However, there was no pressure, the buying by commission houses being sufficient to absorb the offerings, and the market simply followed Chicago. Opening prices were half cent up, based on the unexpectedly strong cables, and the market was able to hold steady and above the previous close most of the day. Liverpool closed ⅛ to ⅝ up and private cables stated that the firmness in the face of bearish weekly statistics was due to moderate offerings and the Continental demand being well maintained. There was no evidence of export business in the local market, although there was some business reported worked over the week-end, both from seaboard and direct. The local cash market was quiet with a fair demand for the lower grades, and spreads on these were ¼ to ⅜ up, while the top grades were unchanged. There was also a better demand for low grade Durums and spreads on these were improved. All offerings were light. In the face of the fairly large world shipments, on passage supplies decreased nearly two million bushels, indicating a good consumptive demand abroad. News from Winter wheat territory was about unchanged with perhaps a little more favorable in the South, temperatures being milder, but a rather heavy abandonment on the whole is indicated. The United States wheat visible decreased moderately at 1,508,000 bushels, and the Canadian visible decreased 2,045,000 bushels, which does not mean very much as elevators at the head of the lakes are plugged full and no more cars can be unloaded into the visible supply. Winnipeg futures closed strong, being ⅝ to ¾ up on May and July respectively, and ¾ higher in October.

Coarse grains: Fair demand for oats and rye, but very little doing in barley. The demand for oats was from Eastern consumptive channels, while the export business came in for rye and also good foreign inquiry. Offerings in all grains continue light and prices have been bid up to get requirements. Oats closed ⅞ to 1⅜ higher; barley ⅛ to ⅜ higher, and rye 1½ higher, with October unchanged.

Flax: There was little demand today from crushers, who report a big demand for flaxseed and oil cakes from the country, probably due to the scarcity of bran and shorts. Closing figures 1⅛ to 2⅜ up.

FUTURES

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
July	141⅞	141⅞	141⅛	141⅛
May	140½	140¾	140⅛	140⅝
Oct	134⅞	135⅝	134⅛	135⅝
Oats—				
July	62⅞	63¼	63⅝	63¼
May	65⅝	66½	65½	66¼
Oct	55½	56	55¼	55¾
Rye—				
July	113⅝	114½	113¾	114½
May	116⅝	117¼	116⅝	117¼
Oct.	102½	102¾	102⅝	102⅝
July	90	90½	89⅝	90½
Barley—				
May	93½	92½	83½	92⅝
Oct	78¼	78⅝	78¼	78⅝
Flax—				
July	194⅞	196½	194⅞	196⅝
May	191½	192⅝	181½	192⅞
Oct.	196⅝	200½	196⅝	200⅛

CASH GRAINS

Wheat—1 N., 147⅝; 2 N., 142⅛; 3 N., 129⅝; No. 4, 120½; No. 5, 108; No. 6, 98⅝; feed, 93⅞; track, 140⅝; 1 Durum, 110⅝; 2 Durum, 108⅝; 3 Durum, 104⅝; No. 4, 127⅝.

Oats—2 C.W., 66¼; 3 C.W., 62½; extra 1 feed, 62¼; 1 feed, 60¼; 2 feed, 58½; rejected, 56⅛; track, 65¼.

Barley—3 C.W., 89⅞; 4 C.W., 86⅞; rejected, 85⅝; feed, 82⅛; track, 90⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 180⅝; 2 C.W., 185⅞; 3 C.W., 168⅞; rejected, 164⅞; track, 189⅞.

Rye—1 C.W., 115; track, 115⅛.

Calgary Oil Stocks

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	Bid	Asked
Royalite	43.00	
Devenish		25
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.39	..
Illinois Alta	.53	..
United	1.30	..
Vulcan	2.70	..
Spooner	1.03½	..
McLeod	3.60	..
Signal Hill	.16	..

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 12.—Money, 3¾ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 3⅛ to 3 3-16 per cent; three months' bills, 3 9-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 12—Call money, steady, all loans 4½; closing bid, 4½. Time loans, firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4½ to 4¾; four-six months, 4½ to 4¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 12—Wheat quotations, spot and en route: 1 Nor., 151⅝; 2 Nor., 143⅝; 3 Nor., 129⅝; No. 4 wheat, 124⅛; No. 5 wheat, 113⅛; No. 6 wheat, 102⅞; feed, 101⅝.

Wholesale Row

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EGGS

Fresh Extras, doz.	.39
Fresh Firsts, doz.	.37
Pullets, Extras, doz.	.35

BUTTER

Best, cartons	.42
Prints	.40
Dairy solids	.40
Dairy prints	.37

CHEESE

B.C. large, lb.	.21½
B.C. Twins, lb.	.23
B.C. Triplets, lb.	.22½
Alberta solids, lb.	.23
Ontario Stiltons, lb.	.26
Ontario solids, lb., new	.23
Ontario Twins, lb.	.22½
Ontario Triplets, lb. new	.26
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.	.29

LARD

Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.	.17
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.	.16½

MEAT

Beef, No. 1 Steers	.19
Beef, No. 1 Cows	.16
Lamb	.21
Lard	.20½
Veal	.22
Bacon	.29
Mutton	.30
Hams	.30
Chickens	.35
Fowl	.29
Pork	.18

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	6.45
Yellow, per hundred	5.95

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.50	$48.00
Gr. Barley	2.60	50.00
Corn	2.60	50.00
Cracked Corn	2.70	52.00
Fresh Cornmeal	2.70	52.00
Oats	3.50	68.00
Oats, ground	2.60	50.00
Scratch Food	2.70	53.00
Poultry Mash	3.70	52.00
Marvel Egg Mash	3.80	64.00

FLOUR

	Per Sk. 49 lbs.
Snowflake	$2.60
Purity	3.60
Five Roses	3.60
Maple Leaf	3.60
Royal Standard	2.80
B. & K. Family	2.30
Whole Wheat	3.50
Quaker Flour	3.60
Robin Hood	3.60

FRUIT

MacIntosh Reds	3.60	3.75
MacIntosh Reds, orchard run		1.35

Local

Local Apples	1.60	2.00
Pears, box		2.00
Pears,	3.75	1.75
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.11
Cocoanuts, per dozen		1.50
Lemons, case	7.00	10.00
Oranges, case	6.00	7.35
California Grapefruit		5.75
California Raisins, case		4.50
California Figs, packages		M.P.
Pard Dates	1.25	2.75

VEGETABLES

Beets, per sack		2.50
Cabbage, per lb.	.04	.04½
Carrots, per sack		1.00
Celery, per doz.	1.50	1.75
Cauliflower, doz	2.25	3.00
Lettuce, Cal.	4.50	4.75
Onions		3.00
Mainland Potatoes		1.10
Dry Belt Gems	1.10	1.55
Turnips		1.25
Parsnips		2.00
Tomatoes, No. 1, per crate		M.P.
Tomatoes, No. 2, per crate		M.P.
Peppers, per lb.		.28
Potatoes	1.10	1.55

Retail Prices

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EGGS

B.C. Firsts, Extras, doz.	.36
B.C. Firsts, Extras, doz.	.34
Pullets, doz.	.33

VEGETABLES

Carrots, per bunch	.05	
Artichokes, Globe, each		.15
Beets, 5 lbs.		.18
Parsnips, 5 lbs.		.25
Mexican Tomatoes, per lb.		.30
Brussel Sprouts, 2 lbs.		.35
Green Peas, per lb.		.30
Cabbage, local	.05	.10
Cauliflower, per lb.	.30	.35
Celery, head		.20
Lettuce, per head		.15
Potatoes, 6 lbs.		.25
Kamloops Netted Gems		1.85
Artichokes, Globe		.20
Tomatoes, lb.		.50
Mexican Tomatoes		.20
Spinach		.20
Potatoes, sweet, 4 lbs. for		.25
Turnips, local, 8 lbs.		.25

NUTS

Almonds, per lb.	.30
Walnuts, per lb.	.20

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NOW CONCENTRATED ON THE

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Pend Oreille Lead and Zinc is today's mining sensation—quotations advanced from around 50 cents per share a few months ago to $18 today. Grandview, recently financed by us at 35 and 40 cents, is now selling at 75c per share.

We Now Offer Z-Canyon Lead Zinc Company

Note by the accompanying map and aerial photo the close relation of these properties and consider the IMMENSE POSSIBILIIES of Z-Canyon from a speculative standpoint.

Several carloads of ore have been shipped from various surface disclosures on this property and a campaign of churn and deep diamond drilling will be immediately inaugurated, contracts having been let for 5,000 feet of such work.

Ground covers 246 acres. Geological conditions are identical with those of adjoining properties.

Our engineers have reported most favorably and we anticipate sensational results paralleling those achieved in the similar development of adjoining mines.

Airplane view by Mamer Air Service, looking south and showing relative positions of the holdings of Pend Oreille Lead & Zinc Co., Grandview Mines and Z-CANYON LEAD ZINC CO. Town of Metaline shown in peninsula in right background. Photo taken on March 8.

We Are Offering 500,000 Shares of the Treasury Stock of Z-Canyon Lead Zinc Company at

40c a Share

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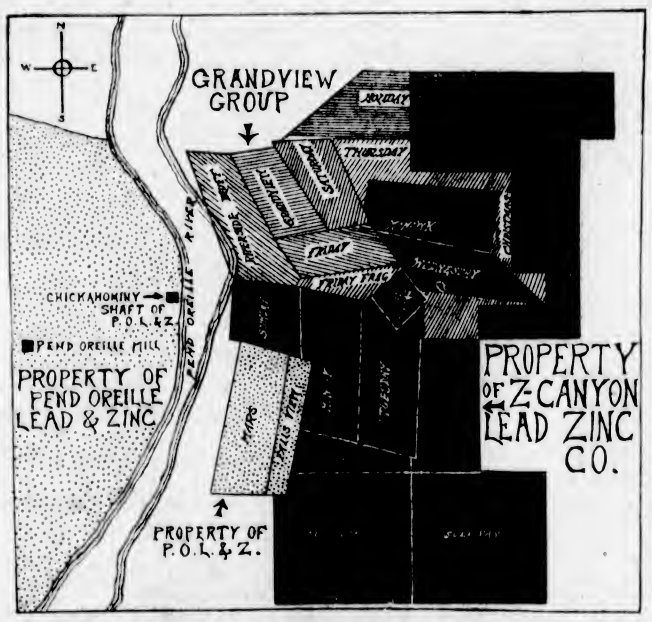

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1 BIRTHS

PATERSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Paterson, Manor Road, a son.

DAY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 10, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Day, 1140 Lillian Road, a son.

McDONALD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 11, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. F. McDonald, 2571 Dunlevy Street, a son (stillborn).

PULLEN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 11, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pullen, 2621 Fifth Street, a daughter.

SAINSBURY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 11, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. O. Sainsbury, 949 Fort Street, a daughter (stillborn).

WARING—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 10, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Warine, 3264 Irma Street, a son.

CHRISTENSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 11, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Christenson, 2709 Doncaster Drive, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

POWELL—At the family residence, 1543 Bexford Street, on the 10th inst., Jennie Branks Powell, widow of the late Dr. A. W. Powell.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday from the house, at 3 o'clock. Services in St. John's Church at 3.15. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CLEMENTI—The funeral of the late Mrs. Lydia Sexsmith, who passed away on Wednesday at Chemainus, will take place from McCall Bros. Funeral Home, corner Quadra and Vancouver Streets, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service, after which interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

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WILL SELL SPLENDID FIVE-ROOM bungalow. Phone owner, 3566L.

$1,350—SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE; BASEment; block from car line; fine location, close in. Phone 8462L.

$1,500 CASH BUYS MODERN FOUR-roomed bungalow; three-piece bathroom and pantry; basement; garage; high location. This house is worth $2,400. Phone 2677R.

9-ROOMED HOUSE, IN GOOD LOcality, $3,100 cash. Address Box 9069, Colonist.

78A AGENTS' OFFERINGS

A REAL BARGAIN — FIVE-ROOMED modern bungalow, sitting-room and dining-room, open arch fireplace, hardwood floor inlaid, Dutch kitchen; two nice bedrooms; three-piece bathroom; garage. Built-in features. Basement, cement, furnace. Good garden. Taxes $10. A great sacrifice at $2,500. $400 cash, balance arranged. Wallace & Archer, 1239 Broad Street, phone 1745. Agents for General Fire Insurance Co., London, England.

FAIRFIELD ESTATE. WELL-BUILT bungalow in good location. This dwelling is in perfect condition, has been recently rerofed, and no further repairs or replacements are necessary. It contains five rooms, entrance hall and attic. Living-room has open fireplace, dining-room is panelled, two good size bedrooms with large clothes closets, bathroom and separate toilet; full size cement-floored basement, with furnace and laundry trays. This is being offered at a considerably reduced price for immediate sale. $3,250. The City Brokerage, 636 View Street. Phone 615.

OAK BAY

IF anyone tells you they have the most wonderful buy in Oak Bay in a five-roomed bungalow, all we ask is to let us show this one. It is situate on one of the best streets, near the Monterey School, and short walk to the beach. It contains very pleasant sunroom, entrance hall, living-room, arch to the dining-room with open fireplace, kitchen and pantry; two bedrooms with clothes closets (window in one); 3-piece bathroom. Full size cement basement; furnace, wash tubs and fruit-room. Fruit trees in back garden. The house is clean and in excellent condition, and is being offered at this price to close an estate. PRICE $3,500. Generous terms to right party.

BROWN BROS. & ALLAN, LTD.
Phone 6705 711 Fort Street

HANDSOME JAMES BAY RESIDENCE

IN GOOD RESIDENTIAL SURROUNDings, with large grounds, all in excellent shape, inside and out. House contains hall, drawing-room, dining-room with fireplace, den with fireplace, pantry, kitchen, four bedrooms with closets, bath and separate toilet, and large attic. FINE CONCRETE BASEMENT, hot air furnace, gas connected, good garage. Coming vacant April 1. Owner anxious to sell, and open to offers.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
Belmont House Victoria, B.C.

INEXPENSIVE HOME—COSY 4-ROOMED bungalow, near bus; large sleeping porch; good garden. Very reasonable at $1,800, cash, $250; balance arranged, $25 per month. Wallace & Archer, Vancouver Island Realty Co., 1239 Broad Street, phone 1745. Agents for British General Fire Insurance Co., London, England.

LANGFORD LAKE — FIVE-ROOM BUNgalow, panelled, hot and cold, city water, sink and tubs. Basement, furnace, fireplace, breakfast nook. Lot 100 x 200, to lake. Taxes $15. Price only $3,500, including furniture.

FAIRFIELD — FOUR-ROOM NEW stucco bungalow, with breakfast nook, built-in features, three-piece bathroom, cement basement, furnace, fireplace, garage. Close to park and car. Price only $4,000.

FAIRFIELD — FIVE-ROOM NEW stucco bungalow, built-in features, fireplace, large living-room, French doors, cement basement, furnace, large lot. Price only $4,500. Cash $2,000; balance mortgage, $2,500 @ 7%.

SAM CALVERT
Phone 3113 755A Yates Street

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW OF FIVE rooms, just off Gorge Road, within two-mile circle; Saanich taxes. Extra large rooms, cement basement, full lot; excellent views of Gorge waters. Owner going East and will make it a bargain for immediate sale. Price, including all the furniture, only $3,150. No greater bargain anywhere.

L. M. ROSEVEAR
212 Union Bldg. Phone 5900

A DELIGHTFUL HOME IN OAK BAY

ONE ACRE, oak trees, vegetable garden, lovely grounds. House contains six rooms and hall, beamed and panelled, two open fireplaces. HOT WATER HEATING. Full size basement. Chinaman's shack. Garage. Close to sea. Price $8,000.
We consider this to be one of the best buys in Oak Bay.

R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.
Phone 5180

OAK BAY

STUCCO HOUSE OF VERY ATTRACTIVE design, containing large living-room and den, dining-room, kitchen, and three bedrooms. Well situated near sea and golf links. Price $7875

ONE OF THE FEW REMAINING VIEW lots in Oak Bay, south of Oak Bay Avenue. Beautifully treed $2750

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
840 Fort Street Phone 491

A CHARMING BUNGALOW

SIX large, sunny rooms, close by car and school. Modern throughout, cement basement, furnace. Two lovely terraced lots in lawn, flowers and roses. Cement walks and garage. Price $2800

A REALLY choice home, commanding a location. Seven rooms, all modern features, furnace. Garage. Nice garden, in lawns and flowers. Close to High School. Price $3500

The above properties we can faithfully recommend.

JOSEPH C. BRIDGMAN
Estate Agent 604 Broughton St.

WARM AND COMFORT HOUSE, STANDING IN 10 ACRES, about half of which is in cultivation; containing two sitting-rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and a water laid on; three bedrooms, two verandas. Barn, two chicken houses, some fruit trees and garden around. Wide river frontage. Close to church, station, school and footpaths. Price $1,300.

O. WALLICE
Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, B. C. N. R.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

WE WRITE ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE, EXCEPTING LIFE

CERTAINLY A BARGAIN FOR SOMEONE

5½ ACRES, with modern ten-room dwelling, within the 1½-mile circle. The situation is very nice, facing south and having a view of the Gorge waters. The land is all under cultivation, there is a small orchard, flower beds, ornamental trees, etc. Barns and chicken run, and a very nice driveway. The house is in good condition and hot water heated. The house to build would cost double the price we are asking, which is, on terms, only $4200

¼ ACRE AND SIX-ROOM DWELLING, ESQUIMALT

THE land is cleared and under cultivation, together with a small orchard. House is well constructed, of six rooms, and in fair condition. Good foundation. This place can be bought, on terms, for $2500

BEAUTIFUL FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW AND TWO LARGE LOTS

HERE is a beautiful bungalow of five rooms and two large lots, situated in Burleith subdivision. Bungalow is of an attractive design. This would make a cosy home. Rooms are bright, nicely planned, and splendid construction throughout. Good basement, new furnace, and two choice lots in lawn, shade and ornamental trees. Garage. Situation is very pleasant and commands a perfect view of the Gorge.
Price, on terms $3200

SUMMER HOME AT PROSPECT LAKE

4-ROOM COTTAGE, in good condition, and a nice lot, well treed. Good water frontage, and has an excellent view of the lake. Price, $2000, including some furniture.

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD.
1112 Broad Street Phone 1076
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents

ROCKLAND AVENUE BUNGALOW—Brand new stucco bungalow, containing reception, living-room, with solid oak floor, large open fireplace, attractively tiled; French doors to dining-room with oak floor; Dutch kitchen with every built-in convenience, including laundry tubs and breakfast nook; two bright, airy bedrooms, each with clothes closet; three-piece bathroom; full sized cement basement; hot air furnace; large lot. AN IDEAL HOME FOR COUPLE OR SMALL FAMILY. Price and further particulars on application.

COSY FAIRFIELD HOME—Owner, living in England, instructs us to sacrifice in order to make an early sale. If you are across the Pole for a cosy bungalow in a good location, let us show you this one. Situate in the better part of this desirable residential section, amid good surroundings, attractive five-room bungalow, open fireplace, beamed ceilings, panelled walls, Dutch kitchen, many built-in features, basement, etc. PRICE CUT TO $3,350, on any reasonable terms.

IDEAL FAIRFIELD RESIDENCE — This attractive and spotlessly clean semi-bungalow of six well-planned rooms, is situate within a stone's throw of Beacon Hill Park. It contains vestibule, entrance hall, subway to living-room, sliding doors to handsome dining-room with open grate and beautiful built-in buffet; kitchen and pantry; three bedrooms; separate bathroom and toilet; full cement basement; HOT WATER HEATING; large lot, cement driveway to double garage. Price cut to $4,725, on reasonable terms.

JAMES BAY BARGAIN—Situate in the better part of the district, good six-room dwelling, with all usual conveniences, large lot; conservatory, etc. Price only $2,500, on terms.

QUAMICHAN STREET—Seldom a home such as this is offered on the realty market. Complete in every detail, with open fireplace, built-in features, sun porch, basement, furnace and garage; large lot studded with oaks; select residential location. Price $3,150, on reasonable terms.

THREE LOTS, MOUNT TOLMIE

THREE FINE LEVEL LOTS, fenced. Very nice building site. $750

SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE

FINE VIEW: $8,300

FULLY MODERN, living-room and dining-room with open fireplaces, pass pantry to kitchen. Three bedrooms up and one down. Full-sized cement basement with hot air furnace. Nice large lot, all fenced, with stone fence along the front. Unobstructed view of the Straits and Olympics. An exceptional bargain at $3,300, on terms.

WANTED TO RENT

FIVE-ROOMED MODERN BUNGALOW, from April 1, for good tenants.

GILLESPIE, HART & TODD, LTD.
611 Fort St. Victoria, B.C. Phone 2040

EXTRA SPECIAL SNAP

EXCELLENT VALUE—SAVE CAR FARE

WELL worth $4,000; will sell for $2,800 for quick sale, this five-roomed, well-planned bungalow. Reception-room with open fireplace, dining-room, two bedrooms with large closets, kitchen, large pantry, leaded lights, lavatory separate from bathroom; gas in kitchen. Cemented basement and walks. Garage with cement runway. Lot 60 x 130. Will sell furniture. Immediate possession. For further particulars apply to Exclusive agents

H. O. DALBY & CO., LTD.
634 View Street, Opposite Spencer's

$3150

NEW FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW (INCLUDING FURNITURE), 3-MILE CIRCLE. 1646 TAKAKS PRETTY VIEW. Large living-room, dining-room, open fireplace, two good-sized bedrooms, with closets. Basement and furnace. VALUE EXTRAORDINARY.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
816 View Street Phone 2036
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

$1100 THREE ROOMS, FURNISHED. Car terminus, North Douglas.
$1750 SIX ROOMS. Large lot, in fruit garage. Two-mile circle.
$2300 SIX ROOMS, modern. Garage. Super lot, James Bay.
$2500 SIX ROOMS, modern. Garage. Car terminus, Hillside.
$1500 FIVE ROOMS, modern. Two-mile circle.
$1600 SIX ROOMS, modern. Taxes $40. Croft Street, James Bay.

CLARK REALTY
Suite 1, Surrey Block, Yates St.

$1600—SIX-ROOM SOLID BRICK house, in first class condition; garage. Also good three-room house on rear end of lot, rented at $16 per month. A good home with a revenue coming in.

$2300—NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW; four nice rooms; full basement; garage; large lot, nicely fenced, high ground. An attractive little home, and the price is right.

W. J. GILLILAND
1205 Douglas Street Phone 8593

5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, CLOSE in to Hillside car, on good street, facing east. There are five good-sized rooms on the first floor and 3-piece bath. It has the very best of electric fixtures, also good attic. Full size concrete basement. Garage. Lot is 50 by 130. Two more rooms could be added very easily, if desired. Price only $3,200.

T. B. MONK & CO.
613 View Street Phone 1976

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON

WE SPECIALIZE IN OAK BAY

A SURVEY OF THIS DESIRABLE DISTRICT has given us complete listings, and we are in a position to place before purchasers all Oak Bay houses that are at present on the market. This naturally saves much time to intending purchasers. A VERY CHOICE AND COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION of five and six-room bungalows at prices ranging from $4,500 upwards.

WE RECOMMEND THE FOLLOWING:

A NICE LITTLE COTTAGE, within a couple of hundred yards from the sea and on half an acre of land. 4 rooms. Well built and in good condition. It contains living-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. The land is A1, and can be easily cleared, as it only has bush. Taxes about $30. This place can be made to pay for itself by clearing and cultivating the land, while a neighboring grocery store could dispose of the proceeds of the garden. Price $2650

A FIRST-CLASS SIX-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, one block from the car line. The drawing-room is large and very bright, as it faces south and the lights cannot be obstructed. The dining-room is quite large enough, and there are three good bedrooms. The basement is concrete, with a hot air furnace. Hardwood floors in the public rooms. Built-in bookcase and other features. Laundry tubs. Price $6000

STANDING on an acre of beautiful garden and orchard, this fully modern six-room house must attract attention. The drawing-room is 18 ft. x 18 ft., the dining-room 14 ft. x 16 ft. The hall and kitchen are spacious. Three good bedrooms upstairs. Full-sized basement, very light. Hot water heating. Near to sea and school. Price $7500

CLOSE to beach, with very fine view. This fully modern EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE is very well situated, on high land, close to the beach and overlooking the sea. The lot is 120 x 180 ft., well laid out in garden, fruit trees, berries, etc. On entering is a very spacious hall, you find the drawing-room on the right and the den on the left. These two rooms have fireplaces, and with the dining-room, command good views. Upstairs, four large bedrooms and a sleeping porch, also views. A wide veranda away from the public is attractive. Hot air furnace. Price $12,500
Splendid condition.

NEAR PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

A FINE nine-roomed house, in good condition; cement basement, hot air furnace. Garage; good garden. TERMS, ONLY $4000

AN EXCELLENT six-roomed bungalow, in sheltered position. Close to Beacon Hill Park, car line, and convenient to beach. Fine lawn and garden, ONLY $3200

A GOOD six-roomed house, in first-class condition; convenient to wharves and car line. Good cement basement. HOT WATER HEATING, ONLY $2850

LOTS

THREE excellent level full-sized lots, on Ontario Street, $1,700 or near offer.

BARGAIN — Good eight-room house, in a nice condition; garage, situated off Quadra, near Hillside car, on high ground. View of mountains. Easily worth $4,000. To settle estate will deliver for $3,150, reasonable terms.

BARGAIN—One of the best buys in Fernwood District. A pretty bungalow of five rooms, basement and furnace. To settle up an estate will sell $2000

READY TO STEP RIGHT INTO. Spacious bungalow, completely furnished. Five rooms, and large lot, oak trees. Close in, car fares. Owner leaving city will sell for (completely furnished) $2850

SOME CHEAP PROPERTIES

ORILLIA STREET—Three lots, 50 x 13; $125 each.
WORKLEY STREET—One lot, 50 x 16; $225.
MOSS STREET, near Richardson, 90x110, $1,050.
FAIRFIELD ROAD, near Linden, 90 x 330, $1,300.

WATERFRONT

GREENWOOD DRIVE, 50 x 170, $450.
HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT, 100x150, $1,700.
GORDON HEAD—Two acres, beautifully wooded, $3,000.

FAIRFIELD AND HOLLYWOOD

WE have several very nice stucco bungalows in this very desirable district, ranging from $3,700 to $6,500, according to location and size. We shall be glad to show any or all of them to intending purchasers.

MACKENZIE AVENUE

S ROOMS, in the very best of condition. Hardwood floors, basement all lined in V-joint. Hot air furnace. Large lot. This house is all in excellent condition $5500

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 369 Fort Street

COST OWNER $7,500

$4500—CLOSE to Oak Bay Junction. Hot water heated 7-room bungalow, situated on two nice lots. House of solid construction, built under an architect's supervision. All roofing asbestos shingles; plumbing and fireplaces imported from England; gutters and downpipes of cast iron. Enclosed glass porch; fireplace in hall, living and drawing-rooms; pass pantry from the commodious dining-room to a well-equipped kitchen; gas range goes with the house. This is an ideal home for a professional man or for one more or less retired. Exclusively by

ANDREWS REALTY
7th Floor, B.C. Loan Bldg. Phone 2736

$2,200 FOR THIS FIVE-ROOM MODERN bungalow with entrance hall, dining-room and sitting-room joined by an arch. Full basement, garage annexed. Terms, $500 cash, balance arranged, $23.00. Close outside the city, close to street car and school. Most attractive four-room fully modern bungalow, full cement basement and hot water heating throughout. Two more rooms are semi-finished in the attic, should more accommodation be required. Stands on two large lots, with cement walks and garage. The property is in (to the best of condition) the around all cultivated and in garden, fruit trees and small fruits. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Building.

MOSS STREET, NEAR THE WATER

$3150—FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, in excellent condition; living-room with open fireplace, dining-room beamed and panelled; two bedrooms. Dutch kitchen, modern plumbing, cement basement, piped for furnace. Garage.

AT SIDNEY BAY

$8400—WELL-BUILT HOME, near the water, with seven rooms and sleeping porch. Living-rooms with hardwood floors and shaded panel for doors; cosy den with fireplace. Hot water heating; best plumbing throughout; full cement basement. An A1 buy.

A. W. JONES, LTD.
1002 Broad Street Phone 198

OAK BAY BUNGALOW

$2500—SITUATE ABOUT FIVE MINutes' walk from car line and equal distance from the beach. This pretty little bungalow on a lot 50 x 140 contains two bedrooms, living-room with open fireplace, cement basement with wash tub, and also has a garage. It is situate among first class homes and within easy reach of public and private schools. The house is in good

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE
(Continued)

SAANICH SMALL IMPROVED FARMS
LOW TAXES

ABOUT ONE ACRE on waterfront. Four-roomed house; garage, chicken house. City water installed. Electric light and phone available. (Terms) $1300

OVER HALF AN ACRE, easily cleared, waterfront $550
Both properties 2½ miles outside city.

MODERN HOME, ONE ACRE OF LAND. ONE ACRE black loam soil. New four-roomed house, plastered, 3-piece bathroom; cement basement with furnace. Garage, stable and chicken houses. High situation, prettily situated, off Burnside Road. Reduced from $2,750 this week for quick sale (terms) $2350

EVER-RUNNING SPRING CREEK
5 ACRES, ON MAIN PAVED ROAD. ALL CLEARED AND FENCED. 1 ACRE IN BEARING ORCHARD. HALF ACRE IN LOGANS. A WELL-BUILT 5-ROOMED HOUSE CEMENT BASEMENT; CHICKEN HOUSES FOR 300 BIRDS, BROODER HOUSE, SMALL COW STABLE, WOOD-SHED, ROOTHOUSE. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND PHONE ($2,750 DOWN, 6%) $4750

75 ACRES, 8 MILES OUT ON PAVED ROAD; 25 ACRES BLACK SOIL, IN CULTIVATION. BALANCE IN TIMBER. LARGE BARN, GRANARY, DAIRY, ETC. PER ACRE (TERMS) $75

FOR SALE—OVERLOOKING ELK LAKE. 21½ acres, with six-roomed modern bungalow, containing: Kitchen, dining-room (panelled), parlor, den (panelled), three-piece bathroom, two bedrooms, screened-in veranda, three open fireplaces, electric light and phone. Property also contains: Three-roomed house with open fireplace, two-roomed cottage (rented), barn, toolshed, garage, chicken house, hot water heated greenhouse (50 ft. x 20 ft.), 50 mixed fruit trees, 2,000 strawberry plants (second year), logans and raspberries. This property has unexcelled view and is situated on main paved road, with excellent stage service; school bus passes by house. Would part trade for house and several lots outside city. $6000

IDEAL FOR CHICKENS—HIGH SITUATION
6⅝ ACRES, ABOUT 5 CLEARED, BEARING orchard of about 3 acres. Never-failing water installed into house, which consists of 4-roomed bungalow and attic, and bathroom (no plumbing); barn, chicken houses, woodshed and various lumber. Taxes $25. $2,000 down and $1000 on 7% mortgage $4000

PEMBERTON & SON
PHONE 388 PORT STREET

GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY SEASIDE home sacrificed—Nine miles from Duncan, 9½ acres. Beautiful seven-roomed modern house, cost $9,000. Poultry houses and modern equipment for 3,000 birds. Two cottages, boathouse. All supplied with electric light and water. Whole place cost $35,000; now $10,500. Bazshawe & Co., Sayward Building.

DEEP COVE $6200
EXCEPTIONAL WATERFRONT PROPERTY, with magnificent view. House of four rooms and bath, hot and cold. Good garden and orchard; fine soil.

SPARLING
At Deep Cove Tel. Sidney 102Y

SPECIAL SNAP AT LANGFORD. 14 acres for $1,050. This is away below the price asked for similar property. Four-roomed cottage, Langford Lake with wonderful view. $750

H. A. HINCKS
Langford, phone Belmont 2

THIRTY-FIVE ACRES, NEW FIVE-ROOM bungalow for sale at very low figure, on month's trial with option to purchase. Suitable for greenhouses or mixed farming. A living can be made here.
Five acres nicely treed, unimproved land, on main road $500
BOX 7274, COLONIST

98 ACRES, SIX-ROOM COTTAGE; garage, brooder. Permanent stream, spring, swamp, suitable for muskrats; including 370 laying pullets, 35 goats, horse, implements, etc. Snap, $3,500. Terms. Willoughby, Prospect Lake, Saanich.

$2000 FOR 203 ACRES OF almost unbouched timber, cordwood and ties. Some good bottom land. Road to the property. F. P. Hiiss, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

4½ ACRES, 8 MILES OUT; 20 ACRES bottom land. Snap for 1 week only. Box 7997, Colonist.

$250 ACRES—LESS THAN THREE hours by rail from Victoria. 400 acres rich bottom land. Splendid creek. Valuable buildings and water supply installed. This will make excellent farming or sheep proposition or fur farm. PRICE $10.50 PER ACRE.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
Realtors 1210 Broad St.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

ADVERTISER WISHES TO RENT 20 TO 25 acres of pasture, with living house. Must be within reasonable distance of city. Reply at once to Box 7261, Colonist.

100 ACRES, OR THEREABOUTS, ALL or cultivated; small house and barn, city water, four to five miles to city. Full particulars to Box 8357, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

EXCELLENT SMALL FARM CHEAP—9½ acres, 6 acres cultivated, all good deep soil, on main highway, near Colwood Golf Links. Good five-roomed house, small barn and outhouses; city water, light and phone. Reduced to $3,750. Exclusively by Bazshawe & Co., Sayward Building.

CHICKEN RANCH SPECIAL
FIVE ACRES of excellent land, all cultivated, some fruit trees. Large modern chicken houses. Pretty bungalow, containing four rooms, also bathroom and pantry. City water and phone. This is a fine property, running stream all the year round. Price, on terms, $3,500. Considerable reduction for all cash.

JOHN GREENWOOD
1208 Government Street

$12,500 WITH A MILE OF THE finest seafront and a superb view of sea and mountains, 44 acres, with 30 acres under cultivation, finest of land. Extensive buildings. 6-room bungalow. Good garden, orchard and small fruits. Reasonable terms. F. P. Hiiss, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

86 FARMS FOR RENT

FIRST CLASS POULTRY RANCH, WITH FURNISHED HOUSE
14 ACRES, METCHOSIN, nearly all under cultivation. Furnished house, city water, bath and toilet, open fireplace, basement and furnace, seven rooms. Poultry accommodation for over 1,000 birds, brooders, incubators, etc., go with the place. Rent $40 per month. Lovely view of sea and mountains from the house.
ROBERT GRUBB & CO.
1112 Government Street, Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE
To the Growers of Hothouse Tomatoes and Cucumbers of Vancouver Island and Adjacent Islands

A MEETING will be held in the Chamber of Commerce at Victoria on March 30, 1928, commencing at 3 p.m., to vote on the question of bringing all the growers of hothouse tomatoes and cucumbers on these islands under the control of the "Produce Marketing Act."
VICTORIA CO-OPERATIVE HOTHOUSE ASSOCIATION,
G. W. Riddle, President.

TO CONTRACTORS
Tenders are invited for the Erection of a Spinning Mill for the British Columbia Worsted Mills, Limited, at Montreal Street, Victoria.
Sealed and endorsed Tenders to be delivered to the Architect not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 19th, 1928. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Architect.
PERCY FOX,
1-3 Brown Block, Victoria, B.C.

Manchuria now has seventy-two people per square mile and Japan 390.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

THE PROPOSED TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Sir,—In the past few weeks The Colonist has published reports of several addresses made by advocates of a technical high school for Victoria, as well as a few letters on the subject, which seem to indicate rather hazy conceptions of the work which such a school can do, the conditions which warrant its establishment, and the cost of building, equipping and maintaining it. Moreover it does not seem to have occured to any one that labor unions may have something to say on the matter. Perhaps a few facts, learned from an experience of twenty-seven years in high school work, may help to clear the atmosphere.

One infers from the addresses and letters alluded to that many people expect the technical high school to give instruction and drill in a great variety of technical callings. Some will expect in its curriculum courses in such attractive callings as wood-carving, hand-loom weaving, painting and firing of china, retouching of photographs, hammered-brass work, watchmaking, expert book-binding, blueing of gun barrels, etc., but there is employment for so few people in such occupations that instruction in them would have to be given to individuals and the cost would eliminate them from the curriculum. In such a school instruction must be given in classes, and fairly large classes at that. So courses can be provided only in work for which there is a fairly large demand.

The courses in dressmaking, millinery and cooking already provided for girls can probably be expanded, when necessary, without any serious increase in our taxes; but to provide technical courses for boys specially constructed buildings must be erected and fitted up with expensive machinery. Do conditions warrant this expenditure? To solve this problem two questions must be answered. First, will the boys select the technical courses when established, complete them, and continue to do so year after year, in sufficient numbers to warrant their maintenance? Second, will there be a market for their technical knowledge and skill when they have completed these courses? Obviously the answer to the first will be partly determined by the answer to the second.

Technical schools have been such a success in England, France, Germany and other parts of Europe that they are now a necessity in the economic life of these countries. The great technical school of Charlottenburg, with its enrollment of several thousand students, tells a part of the story for Germany. But the productive energy of these countries is largely expended in manufacturing; moreover in all of them boys show a greater tendency to follow the callings of their fathers than is evident among the boys of Canada. Technical schools, too, have also played an important part in the economic life of that part of the United States lying along the Atlantic seaboard and north of the Potomac, for it is thickly dotted with manufacturing towns. This manufacturing area is being increased by districts along the southern shores of the Great Lakes, and here we may expect a steady growth in the demand for technical schools. But in the remainder of the republic technical schools are not such a pronounced necessity, although a number have been established.

Manufacturing holds an important place in the industrial life of Ontario, and it probably offers fair openings for the graduates of technical schools; but in the other provinces of Canada the field is limited indeed. The chances are that this will be true for another generation in the four Western provinces, for we are still in the pioneering stage. Is there any good reason for excepting Vancouver Island? If we train and graduate technical experts in our high school before we have technical employment for them in Canada, shall we not accelerate the very movement some hope this school will retard, namely, the exodus across the forty-ninth parallel? In the past thirty years several Canadian universities have established excellent courses in engineering, but it is safe to say that half their graduates in engineering have gone outside the Dominion to find employment.

If a technical school is established in Victoria, will our high school boys enroll in its courses? Probably they will do so in considerable numbers at first, for the novelty will make a strong appeal to them; but when they find that technical work does not form a "soft course" but a very hard one, the number offering for it will steadily decrease. Nor must we forget that among Canadian boys of the present day there is a tendency to forsake the callings of their fathers. If the father works in a mill or a factory or at some mechanical trade, his sons are apt to look askance at dad's overalls and to seek "white collar jobs."

Our experience in Winnipeg may be pertinent, and I ask to recount it briefly. In the last decade of the last century the problem of high school pupils who did not wish to prepare for teachers' certificates nor for admission to some department of the university became a serious one; and, although it was solved in part by the establishment of a commercial course, it became acute again when the attendance outgrew the capacity of one building. It then occurred to us that a technical school might solve our problem. Early in the first decade of this century a technical school was established in St. Paul, Minn., and for two or three years thereafter the jubilation over its success was a feature of the Christmastide meetings of the Minnesota Teachers' convention. College men joined with school superintendents and principals in a chorus of praise for its work, and its most ardent advocate was James Johnson, then governor of the state. Conditions in St. Paul and in Winnipeg were somewhat similar, and so we had new reason to hope that a technical school would obviate our difficulty in the latter city. Some years of missionary work converted the school board and a majority of the ratepayers to this view so thoroughly that in 1912, if I remember rightly, the school board built two technical schools instead of the one we had hoped for, equipped them very completely with machinery, and engaged a staff of expert instructors. Technical courses covering three years were arranged and sanctioned by the Department of Education, and the new schools opened with a very encouraging enrollment in these courses. In the courses for girls the enrollment has continued to be satisfactory, but the enrollment among boys attending day classes began to diminish after a year or two and finally ceased. In September, 1916, twenty-three boys from Grade Eight enrolled for the first year's technical work in one of these new schools; a year later seven of them came back to take the second year of their course; and in September, 1918, a lone lad returned to complete the course. Of the twenty-two who had fallen out the great majority had secured positions in offices. Thereafter technical courses for boys attending day classes were quietly dropped. The other technical school had a similar experience, I should add, however, that among night school students there has always been a considerable demand for technical instruction.

An experience of some of these night school students will illustrate the difficulty of securing technical employment. In the Autumn of 1919 a number of returned soldiers applied at one of the night schools for instruction in electric welding, and ultimately a class of forty or fifty was organized. The young fellows proved earnest students and at the end of their course were pronounced efficient by their instructor; but only ten per cent of them were able to find employment, in spite of the fact that Greater Winnipeg contained the shops of three railway systems, an automobile factory, several companies engaged in the production of structural iron, and a great number of repair shops.

In establishing a technical school some consideration must be given to the attitude of labor unions toward it. When the generosity of Sir William Macdonald allowed our school board to provide manual training for the pupils of Winnipeg Schools, the labor unions of the city gave the innovation a very cool reception, fearing that it would lead to overcrowding in some of the mechanical trades. It took several years to dispel their apprehensions. In one of the technical schools of the city a course in printing was arranged with special rooms, presses and type all complete, and an excellent instructor. But no matter how proficient a student became in the typesetting art, the printers' union would not reduce his period of apprenticeship in an ordinary printing office by more than a year. Consequently fewer and fewer students took the course, and it was ultimately abandoned and the instructor relieved from his duties.

And finally, a word as to cost. Each of the two technical schools of which I have been writing cost over $200,000 at a time when building cost very much less than it does now. Of course, they were planned to house many students other than those who were expected to take technical courses. One is still insured for $158,000, the other for $157,000. The original cost of the technical equipment, when set up, could not have been less than $100,000 for each school, and would probably be more at present prices. After about fifteen years' service it is insured for $50,000 in one school and for $45,000 in the other. For the two years, 1925-26, the average annual cost of maintaining one of these schools, including salaries, supplies, caretaking, fuel, light and repairs, but not interest and insurance, was slightly more than $138,000, the total being kept down to some extent by having shops and classrooms under the same roof; but the yearly reports published by the school board do not indicate how this should be apportioned between academic and technical courses. Of the above total, about $8,000 represents the average cost per school of materials (wood, metals, cloth, foodstuffs, etc.) and special equipment for technical work, that of both girls and boys in night as well as day classes being included. It was considerably greater when boys were doing technical work in day classes.

F. H. SCHOFIELD.
753 Pemberton Road, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1928.

CONDITIONS IN GERMANY

Sir,—I have just returned from a business trip to Germany. As an old Victorian, it occurred to me that a short account of the trip, and of the outstanding impressions I gathered while away, would prove of general interest to your readers. Hence this contribution.

To begin with, a good daily through service is maintained between London and Berlin, via Harwich and Hook of Holland, and this is the way I traveled.

The Hook Continental boat train leaves Liverpool Street at 8.30 p.m., and one arrives in Berlin on the Mitropa (Middle European) Express at 5:30 o'clock the next afternoon. Less than twenty-four hours. Returning, one leaves Berlin at 12:45 p.m. and is in London again at 8.40 the following morning.

There are no delays en route, the trains run right on to the quays, at Harwich, and the Hook and the steamers are tied up alongside.

Customs examination of baggage takes place in the quay sheds, between steamer and train, and on the train, at the frontier, when entering Germany. Passport examination is equally facilitated. Everything is done to cause the traveler as little trouble and annoyance as possible.

The North Sea crossing is made at night on steamers operated by the London & North Eastern Railway, and occupies about eight hours each way. The sleeping accommodation on these boats is A-1 and berths may be reserved in advance.

Dining-cars are attached to the trains, which, both in England and on the Continent, represent the last word in rail travel.

Holland is, of course, very low-lying, and the impression one gets from the train is of something resembling a countryfied Venice. A canal appears, in some shape or form, every few yards.

From the frontier, almost to Berlin, the railway passes through miles and miles of flat agricultural country, very much like that of Minnesota, and of land under cultivation. Even so, the farm produce of Germany is not sufficient to maintain the population without importing foodstuffs.

Berlin is a fine city, clean and bright, well equipped with modern motor bus, tramway and underground systems of transport, with wide streets and an atmosphere of all 'round method and efficiency.

Sitting in the dining-room of the Hotel Excelsior, the largest hotel in Europe, one might well imagine that one was in a first-class hotel in any large Canadian or American city.

From Berlin I went on to Dresden, in Saxony, three hours' run by the Berlin-Vienna Express.

Here is another very fine up-to-date city, famed for its beautiful china, and also, among other things, for a celebrated painting of the Madonna, by Raffael, which hangs in the Public Gallery.

The longer I stayed in Dresden the more I like it. In the Springtime, especially, and in the Summer, it must be an ideal place in which to live.

You may be interested to hear that Dresden has its "Piccadilly" Restaurant, one of the best, as well as the Windsor and the Hotel Westminster. It made one feel quite at home.

Then there is the White Eagle, a large restaurant with a huge dance floor specially laid in the centre of the main dining hall, and with numbered tables—some ninety in all—arranged all around the dancing space, on a platform in the middle of which sits the orchestra. Each table is provided with an automatic telephone.

No introductions are necessary. If a lonely young man sees any girl in particular, with whom he would like to dine, wine or dance, he rings her on the 'phone. If he is "slow," but a good-looking young fellow, it may be that she will ring him first.

The behavior of the dancers is not only above reproach, it is a model of ballroom etiquette; and there is no "ragging" of any description.

Even if he has never seen her before, the gentleman invariably bows politely to his prospective partner when claiming his dance, and bows just as politely when he has escorted her back to her table, in some cases never to see her again! I saw no bad dancers; the majority were expert.

It is obvious that everyone is out for fun and enjoyment. There is a "Puritania" air about it all, and the utmost good spirit prevails throughout.

When I lived in Victoria, particularly in the days before the war, I used to think we, of the New World, knew all there was to know about good wholesome enjoyment. I am afraid we have still something to learn.

English is spoken freely, both in Berlin and Dresden, and, no doubt, in other parts of Germany as well. I found, too, that to be of British nationality was an excellent recommendation. I could not have been treated better anywhere.

I had business to do with a young engineer who served in the war, in the German Engineers, and had been wounded at Arras, where he had his right heel blown off.

In odd moments we discussed various personal escapades in the fighting in that peculiar strain of humor known only to ex-soldiers regardless of nationality; and also found that our ideas of wars were almost identical.

After considerable demur, I ventured to ask this German ex-soldier his opinion of the ex-Emperor Wilhelm. He answered without hesitation, and with some feeling, that he considered the ex-Emperor a military deserter pure and simple, who should be treated as such—and shot—should he ever return to the Fatherland. I gathered later from other sources that this was the opinion of about seventy per cent of the German people.

They are quite satisfied with the Republic and President von Hindenburg. The mere mention of Ludendorff, however, provokes nothing but scorn and derision.

I was told, too, on more than one occasion that, at the outbreak of the war, the German people had been badly hoodwinked into thinking that they were fighting a war of defence, but that to their sorrow they were under no delusions today on that score.

Industrial Germany is working on the principle that, in order to make headway in the world's markets, they must produce the best article possible at the lowest possible price, and sell the article on its merits against all comers. From personal observation, I should say that Germany is already well under way on these sound lines.

The country lost its financial substance with the burst of the inflation bubble, and has only the shadow left. As you know, they are now financing largely on foreign loans.

On the surface things look prosperous, but underneath there is little margin (after meeting interest, loan, depreciation and other charges, including reparations), from which to accumulate the vital new capital substance indispensable to the ceaseless development and expansion required to maintain progress.

Altogether, I had a most enjoyable, instructive and enlightening visit, and could not help coming away with the feeling that the Germany of the future will be the country, of all the countries in the world, most interesting to watch.

JOHN GREIG.
6 Dorset Street, Baker Street, London, W1, February 25, 1928.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Sir,—With reference to an editorial in The Daily Colonist of March 10, re. "Higher Education," I wish to say that I do not agree with the editor of The Colonist regarding the fees being increased, because, in doing so, it will hit the ones mostly interested in a higher education. There are students today who are struggling financially to get through, and parents who are doing their best towards it. Some are earning their board, and many are doing without a great many things necessary at a university. Apart from the fee of, shall we say $100, there are the books, and they are very expensive. Those who cannot earn their board on account of not being able to suit both parties concerned without their studies suffering, are having a very hard time raising the cents, let alone the dollars.

Some people are not fond of giving scholarships, and anyway, there would not be enough to go around to the deserving students. The idea of raising the fees to weed out misfits is in some respects a very grave mistake, because it will affect certain brilliant students who look upon education, not only as a livelihood, but as a means to improve conditions in the future.

Take, for example, there is supposed to be over 1,600 students at the University of British Columbia this year. Suppose we place the average fee at $100 a pupil, we get $160,000 for fees alone, which surely should more than pay the faculty. The cafeteria should be self-supporting.

There are today, as in many other universities, students attending who could pay the fees of many worthwhile students and be doing a great service to their country by staying away from the university themselves.

British Columbia-born students should at least not be deprived of their birthright. The editorial in The Victoria Colonist has aroused my indignation.

A. B. MARSHALL.
1449 Grant Street, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1928.

TECHNICAL SCHOOLS

Sir,—The only result of manual training so far has been to flood the country with half-baked carpenters—an injury to themselves and the community. I have never seen anything of value produced by those boys. Their teachers are not practical men. No doubt they have affixed the alphabet to their names and, therefore, know it all, from washing babies to setting a hen—when the hen is ready. If you want your boy to be a plumber, you don't send him to a tailor. If Joe Smith wants his boy to be a jackass carpenter, or Mrs. Flaherty wants her daughter to be able to construct some indigestible stuff such as that green apple pie that Eve baked for Adam, why in Hades should you and I have to pay for the job.

An old Roman patriarch said boys should be taught the trades or occupations they would follow in after life. The object of this was to preserve a servile class. In the slavery days in the United States, it was a crime to teach a negro to read. The aim of the technical school is to keep the common people in ignorance, and cook's son or duke's son, to educate (e ducere—to lead out or develop) not their hands, surely, but their minds. The world's great need today is people who will think. Our present system of written examinations is not conducive to mental development—this is the "cram" age.

All men are born free and equal, not mentally or physically, but in the sight of the law. Cook's or duke's son, the soul that sinneth, it shall die. This is the divine law. Is it the civil? Give the rich and poor an equal chance to develop the best that is in them. "Were I designed yon lordling's slave, why place within me an independent mind?" Thank God for Bobby Burns: May his tribe increase.

I have written this in the hope that the school question may be more thoroughly investigated. I am convinced that the manual training is an injury to our boys, and a heavy burden on the taxpayer.

ISAAC SOMERS, Sr.
Beaver Creek, Alberni, B.C., March 8, 1928.

GOVERNMENT AND CITY

Sir,—Re your issue of March 6 and reference headed, "Plea Made for Better Terms," reciting the worthy efforts of our city member, Mr. H. D. Twigg, whose claim that the province is assessed for property within this city valued at $3,650,000, and that the only taxes the province pays is $534,000, which is correct.

The former figure represents 14.4 per cent of all property within the city, and their contribution sixteen one-thousands of one per cent of the $3,321,723.66 required to run the city in 1926.

The proportion and cost of services and protection afforded provincial property by the City of Victoria is greatly in excess of any other municipality and deserves recognition.

The city clerk of Ottawa under date of January 13, 1927, addressing myself, writes as follows: "The Federal Government contributes $75,000 annually to the city corporation in lieu of all claims for taxes, etc., with the exception of water used in Government Buildings and off Government grounds, for which it pays thirteen cents per 1,000 gallons up to 200,000,000 gallons in any year, and for water used in excess of this quantity at the rate of ten cents per 1,000 gallons.

"In addition to above a yearly grant of $150,000 is made by the Government to the Ottawa Improvement Commission, which is appointed by the Dominion Government for the beautification of Ottawa and vicinity.

"I hope this is the information desired.

(Signed) "NORMAN H. H. LETT,
"City Clerk."
JOHN DEAN,
P.O. Box 243, Victoria, B.C., March 12, 1928.

TOC H

Sir,—Please allow me to say a few words of what Toc H means to the community.

Briefly, Toc H was born in the Great War. It has since become a world-wide movement devoted to the service of mankind in general, unselfish service being its motto. It is called a movement because it is not in the fullest sense of the word an organization. It is not confined to ex-service men, but includes men and boys from sixteen years and older, and has been described as the youth movement of the age.

The Victoria branch was formed about four months ago and now boasts of over forty members. The figures include full members and probationary. All new members are probationary until approved, the time of probation being up to the individual.

The branch has already done considerable good work, and is in touch with various charitable societies here. It is educating itself in the community needs of the individual and the needs of the community through the medium of good and competent speakers at the regular weekly meetings.

Already Miss Snyder, Rev. Archbold, of the Social Service League; Ald. Woodward, of the City Council; Mr. Ira Dilworth, principal of the Victoria High School, and others, have addressed Toc H meetings.

All who can help Toc H, all who are interested in Toc H, are specially invited to attend any or all of the following meetings: First Monday, second Tuesday, third Wednesday and fourth Thursday in each month at Cranleigh House School, 2184 Cadboro Bay Road, city.

J. GREAVES,
R.M.D. No. 1, Saanich, B.C., March 10, 1928.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL GUEST OF PREMIER

QUEBEC, March 12.—Their Excellencies, Lord and Lady Willingdon, arrived at Quebec this morning and were today the guests of Premier and Mrs. Taschereau.

This afternoon Their Excellencies visited the Governor-General's headquarters and the Citadel, and this evening they will be the dinner guests of Premier and Mrs. Taschereau at their home. The visit of Their Excellencies is not an official one.

ALL-MEAT DIET IS TESTED OUT

NEW YORK, March 12.—Vilhjalmar Stefansson, Arctic explorer, has thrived for two weeks on an all-meat diet, his physician announced today. The explorer is under observation at Bellevue Hospital, where he is endeavoring to demonstrate that an all-meat diet does not cause scurvy.

Dr. Clarence W. Lieb explained that the explorer's general condition has remained excellent since he began the experiment, which will be continued for another fortnight.

Russia bought $2,600,000 worth of lumber from Germany in the past year.

City to Profit Nearly $4,000 On Investment

NEARLY $4,000 will be saved the city in an exchange of sinking fund investments, which was authorized by the City Council last night on the recommendation of the finance committee, of which Alderman P. R. Brown is chairman. A total of $10,000 British Columbia bonds guaranteeing C.N.P. 4 per cent debentures due in 1950 will be sold at 97.75, to yield 4.51 per cent. The city will purchase in its place £11,200 Dominion of Canada 3½ per cent bonds due 1930 or after, at 84, to yield 4.65%. This will result in a profit to the city of $168 per year until 1950, the finance committee reported.

The "Flu" LEFT HER WITH A VERY WEAK HEART

Mrs. Beulah Demone, Pleasant River, N.S., writes:—"Having suffered with the 'flu' a few years ago, I was left with a very weak heart.

"I was unable to go about, and could not do my housework.

"I would get dizzy spells and would have to go and lie down.

"I could not sleep at night as the least little noise would wake me up.

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HALF A MILL SLASHED OFF ESTIMATES

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The sum of $1,000 was cut off the $3,000 vote for repairs to permanent sidewalks; $1,000 off the $2,000 vote for repairs to permanent gutters, and $1,000 off the $3,500 appropriation for new sidewalks. As each vote was reduced, objection was taken by Alderman Marchant, chairman of the public works committee until he threw up his "hands in despair." Another $1,000 was struck off the $7,500 vote for road oiling, and $500 off the $7,000 for asphalt repairs. A vote of $2,500 for asphalt concrete surfacing to macadam roads was struck out altogether.

DOUGLAS STREET

Twenty-three thousand dollars had been placed in the estimates for the paving of Douglas Street from Fort Street to Pandora Avenue, but this was reduced to $10,000 by decision of the council to pave only two blocks.

The final cut made by the council before it adjourned was $4,515 from the appropriation of $33,515 for the labor on carting away garbage. It had been proposed by an increase over last year's estimate to give citizens an eight-day service during four months of the year instead of the present ten-day service. Despite opposition raised against a cut owing to the fact that it was contended the city's garbage service was inadequate, the economists won the day and succeeded in piling up a reduction of $36,941 for the night.

This was really only the second session of the council in estimates, and it may be said that the economists won the second round. Their first victory only amounted to a $285 cut, but it was a victory, nevertheless.

GRAIN ELEVATOR TROUBLES AIRED

Thirty Men Complain Outsiders Are Given Preference on Work—Electric Contract Criticized

The Panama Pacific Grain Terminals, Limited, 1,000,000-bushel grain elevator undertaking came up for discussion at the City Council last night. The matter was introduced first by a letter from Mr. W. J. Kerkin and twenty-nine others, who complained that outside labor was being used in the construction of the elevator in preference to local labor.

Alderman Woodward immediately pointed out that this was a feature of the construction work that he had objected to in the past. Mayor Pendray informed the council that on the recommendation of the city's special solicitor, H. H. Shandley, he had warned against letting work proceed on the elevator until all plans and specifications had been completed.

CAN DO NOTHING

"Had this been done we would not have been faced with these complaints. As it is, we can do nothing. There is no agreement signed, so that we have no control over the construction of the elevator," the Mayor said.

He informed the council that the agreements could not yet be signed, owing to the fact that the company's lease had not yet been transferred to the city, and the mortgages on the company's assets had not been signed over to the city. Until this was done he could not sign the agreement. He had been advised by the city solicitor and H. H. Shandley that these two things must be carried out first before the agreements could be signed.

A complaint was read from the wiring inspector that the wiring of the plant did not conform with the wiring by-law.

EXPLAINS SITUATION

It was pointed out by the Mayor and other members of the council that the contract for the electrical work on the elevator had been let to a Vancouver concern. This had been done despite the fact that a local firm sent in a low bid. The chief trouble in connection with the electrical contract was that Vancouver firms bid only on the work as laid down in the plans, while Victoria firms had to bid so as to conform with the city by-law. The Vancouver firm would and any changes that were made to conform with the by-law as extras and thus would win out against local tenderers.

The Mayor advised the council to step slowly and take the solicitor's advice this time. "We want to keep as many of these contracts in Victoria as possible. As soon as Mr. Tait, solicitor for the grain company, can show the necessary documents that will satisfy our solicitors, it is all right to go ahead with the signing of the agreement, then I will do so and not before."

LADY MARY BAILEY FLIES FOR ITALY

MARSEILLES, France, March 12.—Lady Mary Bailey, who arrived here in a Moth plane yesterday from Paris on her flight to Capetown, hopped off at 11:40 this morning for Pisa, Italy.

The lone woman aviator is taking her vacation in the little plane with which she contemplates a six-thousand-mile journey. She is flying leisurely and making frequent stops.

Loot Recovered

LOS ANGELES, March 12.—Six men and one woman were in jail today and $30,000 in loot recovered in what the police declared was the solution of the $60,000 robbery of a Pacific National Bank messenger, March 6. The officers said five of the seven suspects held had confessed to their parts in the robbery—described as the largest bank hold-up here in the last fifteen years.

The finest thing in the world to keep your stomach in tip-top shape is 15 to 30 drops of Reiger's Syrup in a glass of water. Any drug store. (Advt.)

SUPREME COURT ADJOURNS CASE

OTTAWA, March 12.—Argument on the question of the right of woman to sit in the Senate will not begin in the Supreme Court of Canada until Wednesday. The hearing, arising out of a reference by the Dominion Government, was originally scheduled to begin tomorrow.

LEAGUE INVITATION ACCEPTED BY TURKEY

ANGORA, Turkey, March 12.—The Turkish Government announced today that it had accepted the League of Nations invitation to participate in the preparatory conference for the limitation of armaments.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

GRAPHIC STORY TOLD OF WRECK

Ten Survivors of Oil Tanker Chuky Reach Victoria From Japan Aboard Ss. President Jackson

DOG HELPS CREW TO NAVIGATE BOAT

With 3,474 bales of raw silk and 152 cases of silk goods in her holds, the American Mail liner President Jackson docked at Rithets Piers at 7 o'clock yesterday morning from the Orient and sailed for Seattle at 11 o'clock.

For Victoria the vessel had 400 tons of cargo, including 2,000 cases of walnut meat, 126 bags of mail, and fifty passengers. The only cabin passenger leaving the ship here was Mr. C. E. Horsman, manager of the Simmons Company in Shanghai, who was en route to Montreal on business. The Seattle air mail plane made two trips to collect the mail for American delivery.

PASSENGERS

Among the prominent passengers aboard were: Ellis T. Basha, managing director and owner of Ellis T. Basha and "Embroideries" at Shanghai, en route to New York; Joseph R. Clements, of Joseph Stewart & Co., Seattle; Jerome W. Ephraim, buyer for Henry Pollock, Inc., of New York; A. P. Frederickson, of the firm of Agner & Frederickson, of Seattle, formerly passenger agent for the Admiral Oriental Line at Yokohama; Neil Haig, assistant manager of the Douglas Fir Exploitation and Export Co. of Seattle; Joseph S. Ruble, vice-president of the H. K. Ferguson Co., of Chicago; Lieut.-Commander Robert B. Team and Lieut.-Commander V. H. Wheeler of the United States Navy returning with their families from duty in the Orient.

Ten survivors of the oil tanker Chuky, which broke up off the coast of Japan on February 15 with a loss of fifteen men, were aboard the President Jackson.

The Chuky was bound from San Pedro for Japan with 72,000 barrels of oil for the Japanese navy when, without warning, she snapped in two. The captain and fourteen members of the crew were on the forward half of the ship, while the chief engineer and most of the engine room force were on the after half. When the forward part had drifted some 400 yards away, about fifteen minutes after the crash, a tremendous explosion destroyed it with all hands.

GRAPHIC STORY

A graphic story of the last hours of the doomed vessel was related to The Colonist by the survivors yesterday. They were George Robins, boatswain; J. Leslie, oiler; B. J. Dreyfus, oiler; Joseph Steffany, fireman; E. Olsen, cook; and five seamen, W. Shulenburg, O. Kaldason, H. Marks, T. Thomas and B. Russell. Other survivors reached San Francisco aboard the President Pierce on March 8.

"We were making heavy weather of it on the afternoon of February 15, but the Chuky was steaming steadily ahead in a sixty-mile gale," said Boatswain Robins.

"Suddenly her bow lifted on a huge swell and her stern was caught under another. Amidships she seemed clear out of water. We heard a great crack and roar as the steel beams and wood gave way. All hands rushed on deck.

"When I got on deck the forward part of the ship was already drifting away. As she had parted abaft the bridge, Captain Hernes and most of the deck officers were on the forward half. We could see them struggling with a lifeboat.

BLAST OCCURS

"All hands on the after end began the apparently hopeless task of trying to lower the large power lifeboat.

"About fifteen minutes after the crash we heard an explosion. I looked at the forward end of the vessel and saw nothing but a mass of timbers, masts and bodies hurled into the air. The tangled mass sank immediately. At last we got the boat into the water.

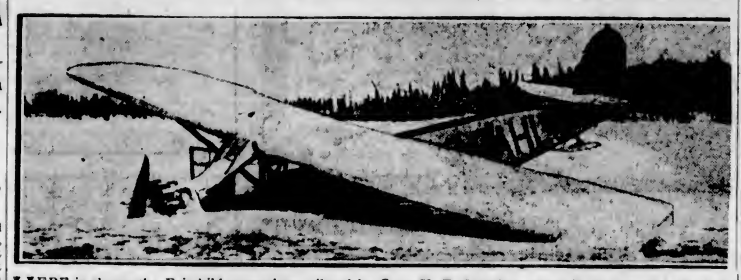
"It was after this that a Chow dog 'Ming' came to the help of the sailors. They had no means of navigating other than a small boat compass, and the coast of Japan was 100 miles away. But 'Ming,' according to Robins, has a sixth sense which tells him of the presence of another vessel.

"'Ming' perched himself in the bow of the lifeboat and set their course by jumping from one side of the boat to another. When they were on the course he desired he pointed straight ahead.

After the boat had chugged along for twenty-six hours, 'Ming's' leadership was vindicated. The Japanese fishing vessel Matsu Yama Maru loomed up ahead. The Matsu Yama Maru took the exhausted survivors aboard and landed them after seventeen hours' steaming at Misaka, south of Yokohama.

At Misaki, the Japanese school children took up a collection to buy food and clothing for the shipwrecked crew.

Monoplane Gripped Tight by Lake Ice



HERE is shown the Fairchild monoplane, piloted by Capt. K. F. Saunders, stuck in the ice on Lake Ashouapmouchouan, in Northern Quebec, 100 miles from the edge of civilization. The plane settled through the ice after a perfect landing and the motor was encased in ice for eight days, before it was thawed out and the plane dismantled and rebuilt while the mercury was thirty degrees below zero. Gasoline torches were used to thaw out the ice which encased the motor to a depth of fourteen inches, and on the first test the motor, similar to that used by Lindbergh, started and Saunders returned to Grand Mere.

Large Grain Cargo To Leave Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 12.—The largest grain cargo ever to leave Vancouver for the Orient, 400,000 bushels, will be loaded on the Ss. Kaikyu Maru, which entered port this morning, for Japan.

The shipment will be the largest out of Vancouver this season, and the third largest in the history of the port. Neither of the two larger shipments was for the Orient.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA
MARCH

Date	Time	H.t.	Time	H.t.	Time	H.t.	Time	H.t.
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	....	....	Sunset		8.51	6.2	17.44	2.0
2	4.06	8.8	5.33	8.8	10.02	6.0	18.26	1.5
3	4.22	8.9	7.12	6.5	11.06	5.6	19.25	2.0
4	4.41	8.7	8.03	7.9	12.16	5.5	20.09	2.3
5	4.56	8.4	8.49	7.2	13.19	6.3	20.49	2.7
6	4.39	8.1	9.31	6.5	14.16	7.0	21.24	3.2
7	4.32	8.1	10.12	5.8	15.12	7.6	22.01	4.0
8	4.42	8.1	10.54	5.3	16.09	7.2	22.32	4.8
9	4.56	8.1	11.38	4.8	17.18	6.9	22.58	5.5
10	5.12	8.2	12.28	4.4	18.46	6.6	23.13	6.2
11	5.29	8.2	13.17	4.1	....	6.6	....	6.8
12	5.23	8.2	14.09	2.6	....	....	....	....
13	5.02	8.5	15.02	3.5	....	....	....	....
14	5.36	8.7	15.54	3.2	....	....	....	....
15	5.58	8.8	16.44	2.9	....	....	....	....
16	....	....	6.43	8.8	17.21	2.7	....	....
17	....	....	7.48	8.5	18.17	2.5	....	....
18	4.38	8.1	8.46	7.9	10.21	6.2	19.02	2.3
19	2.57	7.8	7.32	7.2	12.15	6.2	19.46	2.4
20	2.56	7.8	8.16	8.4	13.26	6.2	20.26	2.6
21	3.11	7.6	8.56	5.4	14.28	6.1	21.09	3.1
22	3.29	6.1	6.42	4.5	15.20	7.0	21.49	3.5
23	3.46	4.7	10.37	2.6	16.28	7.6	22.30	4.0
24	4.12	8.5	11.18	2.0	17.56	7.6	23.12	5.4
25	4.29	6.7	12.11	2.4	19.44	7.3	23.57	6.6
26	5.04	6.8	12.09	2.0	....	7.6	....	7.8
27	5.27	6.8	14.09	1.8	....	....	....	....
28	5.24	8.8	15.10	1.8	....	....	....	....
29	5.23	6.7	16.10	2.0	....	....	....	....
30	2.23	6.6	....	....	....	....	17.08	2.4
31	2.50	6.6	....	7.8	....	7.6	18.02	2.7

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.6 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1928.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	5.58	5.57	17	6.23	6.30
2	5.52	5.58	18	6.20	6.31
3	5.51	6.00	19	6.18	6.32
4	5.49	6.01	20	6.16	6.34
5	5.47	6.03	21	6.14	6.36
6	5.45	6.05	22	6.12	6.37
7	5.43	6.07	23	6.10	6.38
8	5.41	6.09	24	6.08	6.39
9	5.39	6.11	25	6.06	6.42
10	6.37	6.13	26	6.04	6.34
11	6.35	6.14	27	6.02	6.35
12	6.33	6.15	28	6.00	6.36
13	6.31	6.18	29	6.49	6.37
14	6.29	6.17	30	5.47	6.38
15	6.27	6.16	31	5.55	6.39
16	6.25	6.19			

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria for the month of March, 1928.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	12.39 p.m.	4.24 a.m.
2	1.43 p.m.	5.18 a.m.
3	2.53 p.m.	5.57 a.m.
4	4.04 p.m.	6.26 a.m.
5	5.15 p.m.	6.55 a.m.
6	6.23 p.m.	7.17 a.m.
	(Full moon)	
7	7.31 p.m.	7.38 a.m.
8	8.36 p.m.	7.54 a.m.
9	9.41 p.m.	8.11 p.m.
10	10.46 p.m.	8.30 a.m.
11	11.51 p.m.	8.50 a.m.
12	.....	9.14 a.m.
13	0.56 a.m.	9.44 a.m.
14	2.00 a.m.	10.21 a.m.
	(Last quarter)	
15	2.56 a.m.	11.06 a.m.
16	3.53 a.m.	12.03 p.m.
17	4.38 a.m.	1.10 p.m.
18	5.16 a.m.	2.24 p.m.
19	5.47 a.m.	3.42 p.m.
20	6.13 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
21	6.37 a.m.	6.26 p.m.
	(New moon)	
22	7.00 a.m.	7.48 p.m.
23	7.22 a.m.	9.11 p.m.
24	7.47 a.m.	10.35 p.m.
25	8.17 a.m.	11.54 p.m.
26	8.52 a.m.	.....
27	9.37 a.m.	1.12 a.m.
28	10.31 a.m.	2.21 a.m.
	(First quarter)	
29	11.34 a.m.	3.16 a.m.
30	12.43 p.m.	4.00 a.m.
31	1.54 p.m.	4.24 a.m.

(These times are correct to within one or two minutes.)

DOLLAR VESSEL LOSES ANTENNA

Anxiety Feared for President Lincoln When Nothing Heard for Two Days

TOKIO, March 12.—With part of her radio antenna swept away by a severe storm, the Dollar steamship President Lincoln from Seattle was safe in port here today. For two days the ship had failed to report her position, giving rise to fears for her safety during the terrific storm.

Although delayed twenty-four hours, the liner docked with no other damage known to have been suffered. All her passengers were safe.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—Arrived Noyo, Fort Bragg; Georgian, Seattle; Justin, Hamburg; Humboldt, Emma Alexander, Kore Maru, Cascade, San Pedro; Wm. P. Herrin, Tacoma; Lake Gorin, Philadelphia; Hartwood, Grays Harbor; Charley Watson, Wallingford, Astoria. Sailed: Montana, Puget Sound; H. M. Storey, Dorothy Alexander, San Pedro; Providencia, Tacoma; Silver Hazel, Calcutta.

SEATTLE, March 12 — Arrived: Fort Angeles, Cello, San Francisco; Aleutian, Tacoma; President Jackson, Victoria; Griffco, Anyox, Thomas P. Beal, Portland; B. C. T. Dodd, Los Angeles. Sailed: Tohiel Maru, Iyo Maru, Victoria; Cello, Tacoma; Sunelaeco, J. C. Pfizalmonn, Los Angeles; President Madison, Yokohama.

PORTLAND, March 10—Arrived: Charles R. McCormick, New York; Jacox, Los Angeles; Kewanee, San Francisco. Sailed: Port Bonita, New Orleans; Akibasan Maru, Yokohama.

TACOMA, March 12 — Sailed: Arabia Maru, Seattle; Hakatasan Maru, Everett; E. Luckenbach, Token, Seattle.

Arrived

CARDIFF, March 9—Doyle, Vancouver

LONDON, March 10. — Roman Star, Seattle.

PORT SUDAN, March 10 — Stensby, Seattle.

YOKOHAMA, March 8. — Lisbon Maru, San Pedro.

ANTWERP, March 9 — Yone Maru, Vancouver.

BOSTON, March 12 — California, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, March 12. — Wilsolo, Seattle.

HONG KONG, March 9 — West Calcot, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, March 11. — Taiyo Maru, San Francisco.

SOUTHAMPTON, March 11.—Capto, San Pedro.

Sailed

CORDOVA, March 12—Sailed: Yukon, southbound.

SYDNEY, March 10. — Ventura, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, March 11. — Stuart Dollar, San Pedro; Superico, San Pedro; M F Elliott, San Pedro; West Moniop, San Pedro; Willboro, San Pedro; Floridan, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Willpolo, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, March 12.—W. S. Reem, San Pedro.

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—Oran, San Francisco.

ANTWERP, March 9.—Palstobo, Seattle.

BUENOS AIRES, March 12.—Leikanger, San Francisco.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Squally; northwest, 28.84; 45; heavy swell.

PACHENA — Cloudy; west; 29.88; 44; heavy swell.

CARMANAH—Overcast, west; 29.55; moderate swell.

CAPE BEALE — Cloudy; rain; squalls, west; 29.80; heavy swell.

PRINCE RUPERT—Clear, calm; 29.88; 38, smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan 6 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—Left Ritherton Bay, northbound, 4 p.m.

CANADIAN FARMER—San Francisco for Victoria, 272 miles from Victoria.

KEMDYK — San Francisco for Victoria, 230 miles south of Cape Flattery.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE—1,550 miles from Victoria.

WHEATLAND MONTANA — Dairen for Vancouver, 312 miles from Vancouver.

ROCHELIE—San Francisco for Vancouver, thirty miles north of San Francisco.

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Halifax for Victoria, 901 miles from Victoria.

YOJIN MARU—Japan for Vancouver, 600 miles off Estevan.

FUKUYO MARU—50.36 N., 133.19 W.

PARIS CITY—180 miles southeast of Estevan.

CITY OF VANCOUVER—Bound Grays Harbor, 537 miles from Grays Harbor.

C. G. M. M. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER — Due Victoria from Panama, March 17.

CANADIAN MILLER—Left Kingston for Halifax, March 7, due Victoria, May 13.

CANADIAN SPINNER—Left Kingston for Halifax, February 24.

CANADIAN WINNER—Arrived Nanoose, March 7, sails March 21.

CANADIAN COASTER — Due Victoria from California, March 26.

CANADIAN FARMER—Due Victoria from California, March 14.

CANADIAN OBSERVER — Sailed from Vancouver for California, March 11.

CANADIAN ROVER—Due Victoria from California, March 21.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

TALTHYBIUS—From Orient, March 13.

PACIFIC TRADER—From United Kingdom, March 18.

SHIDZUOKA MARU — From Orient, March 22.

PACIFIC PIONEER—From United Kingdom, March 25.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — From Orient, March 26.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — From Orient, March 26.

ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, March 28.

YOKOHAMA MARU — From Orient, April 6.

LONDON SHIPPER—From United Kingdom, April 6.

PRESIDENT GRANT — From Orient, April 8.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, April 15.

TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, April 21.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT — From United Kingdom, April 21.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—From Orient, April 22.

KAGA MARU—From Orient, May 2.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—From Orient, May 8.

PACIFIC EXPORTER — From United Kingdom, May 6.

PRESIDENT PIERCE — From Orient, May 7.

To Sail

PROTESILAUS—For Orient, March 12.

EMPRESS OF CANADA — For Orient, March 17.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — For Orient, March 26.

SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, April 5.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — For Orient, April 7.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — For Orient, April 4.

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, April 13.

PRESIDENT GRANT—For Orient, April 22.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 26.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, May 7.

KAGA MARU—For Orient, May 16.

EMPRESS OF CANADA — For Orient, May 17.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
MARCH, 1928

China and Japan

KAGA MARU (Japan only)—Mails close March 2, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 19.

PRESIDENT MADISON — Mails close March 12, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 28; Shanghai, March 29; Hong Kong, April 1.

PROTESILAUS (Japan only) — Mails close March 13, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 28.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close March 17, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 29; Shanghai, April 3; Hong Kong, April 5.

PRESIDENT JACKSON — Mails close March 26, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 8; Shanghai, April 12; Hong Kong, April 13.

LONDON MARU (Japan only)—Mails close March 26, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 12.

TALTHYBIUS (Japan only)—Mails close April 2, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 18.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close April 7, 6 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 16; Shanghai, April 22; Hong Kong, April 24.

Australia and New Zealand

AORANGI—Mails close March 7, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland, March 26; Sydney, March 31.

TAHITI (via San Francisco to New Zealand only)—Mails close March 18, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, April 6.

SONOMA (via San Francisco to Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close March 16, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, April 12.

NIAGARA—Mails close April 4, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland, April 23; Sydney, April 28.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria

Eastbound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing tonight at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho; arrives day after tomorrow, 6.20 a.m.

Boston, Mass.; arrives on the third day, 5.25 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y.; arrives on the third day, 2.00 p.m.

Chicago, Ill.; arrives on the third day, 5.45 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio; arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.

Dallas, Texas; arrives on the fourth day, 9 a.m.

Denver, Colo.; arrives on the third day, 8.55 a.m.

Detroit, Mich.; arrives on the third day, 12 noon.

Minneapolis, Minn.; arrives on the third day, 11.40 a.m.

New Orleans, La.; arrives on the fourth day, 10.20 a.m.

*New York, N.Y.; arrives on the third day, 6.40 p.m.

Omaha, Nebr.; arrives on the third day, 12.30 a.m.

Ottawa, Ont.; arrives on the fourth day, 7 a.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa.; arrives on the third day, 7.55 p.m.

*Pittsburgh, Pa.; arrives on the third day, 1.45 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo.; arrives on the third day, 9.15 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn.; arrives on the third day, 11.20 a.m.

Salt Lake City, Utah; arrives day after tomorrow, 12.30 p.m.

*Toronto, Ont.; arrives on the third day, 5.25 p.m.

Washington, D.C.; arrives on the fourth day, 8 a.m.

Southbound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closes this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

*San Francisco, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 1.15 p.m.

*Fresno, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 5.15 p.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 6.15 p.m.

San Diego, Cal.; arrives day after tomorrow, 5.20 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

LARGE CARGO ON AMERICAN LINER

President Madison Sails for Japan With Seventy Passengers and 10,000-Ton Load

Reaching here from Seattle at 3.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the American Mail liner, President Madison, sailed for Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila at 6 p.m. with a cargo of nearly 10,000 tons.

So heavily was the vessel laden that her waterline was only visible at the bow. Large shipments of flour, copper and machinery of all descriptions made up the cargo, in addition to a deckload of trucks. Her passenger list totaled seventy in all classes.

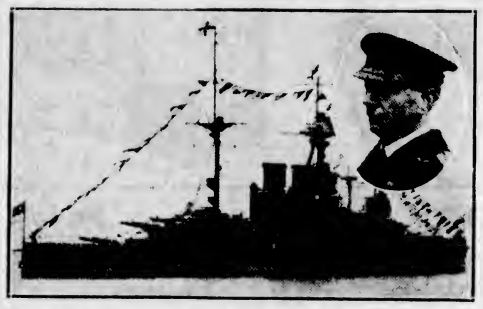
Among those on board were Mr. David M. Biggar, manager of the Anglo-Eastern Bank at Hong Kong, accompanied by Mrs. Biggar, Miss Dorothy Boozer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cosgriff, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Crews, Mr. Armand Ditesheim, Mr. George H. Evans, Mr. Harry A. Mohler, Mr. Alonzo W. Pond, Mr. Walton Schmidt, Mrs. M. H. Varn and family, Mrs. Gertrude B. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. West and family and Mrs. C. W. Alexander. Mrs. Alexander is the wife of C. W. Alexander, manager of the new Ford assembly plant at Yokohama.

MANY SETTLERS ARRIVING DAILY

WINNIPEG, March 12.—The present week will see a heavy movement of immigrants to Canada, according to information given out by the colonization department of the Canadian Pacific Railway. On Wednesday and Thursday alone approximately 770 new settlers will arrive in this city for distribution throughout the Western provinces.

Ss. Kosuki Maru passed up to Vancouver last evening at 11 o'clock.

Damaged in a Collision



H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth, one of the finest vessels of the British Navy, was badly damaged in her stern when the steamer Corinthic collided with her when leaving the harbor at Malta. The British warship was famous during the war for her offensive against the Turkish forts in the Dardanelles, when she led the Allied fleet. It was also on board the Queen Elizabeth that the German and British representatives arranged for the surrender of the German Navy. Her eight fifteen-inch guns are reported to be the most accurate ever possessed by the British Navy. Above is a picture of this famous vessel, with Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, inset, her commander.

CAPTAIN SPEAKS OF N.Y.K PLANS

Master of Ss. Iyo Maru Visits Nagasaki Where Giant Liner Is Being Built

Docking here from Seattle at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Ss. Iyo Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha fleet, sailed for Yokohama at 5:20 with a capacity cargo and a list of twenty-three passengers in all classes, eight of whom boarded the vessel here.

The ship's cargo of 4,850 tons included flour, lumber, wood pulp, canned salmon, wheat and condensed milk.

Captain Fujimura, master of the Iyo Maru, was a visitor to Nagasaki on his last trip to Japan and told of inspecting one of the giant N.Y.K. motorships now under construction there. Increasing competition in the passenger business across the Pacific, and heavier freight offerings in his opinion were responsible for the construction programme entered into by his company.

One of the Diesel-engined craft would be finished early next year, the captain said, and two others by 1930. So far it has not been decided whether any of the liners will ply between Victoria and the Orient, but there was a possibility, he thought. The N.Y.K. fleet at present numbers over 100 vessels plying to all parts of the world.

Marine Notes

CHEMAINUS, March 12.—The Ss. Catherine G. Sudden loaded lumber here for California on Friday and Saturday.

Outbound for the Orient the Blue Funnel liner Protesilaus will arrive from Vancouver about noon today, according to advices received by Rithet Consolidated, Ltd.

Inbound from the Far East Ss. Talthyblus will arrive here this evening. For this port she has sixty-two tons of cargo, thirteen bags of mail and several steerage passengers.

Ss. Dicto arrived at Ogden Point docks at 7 o'clock yesterday morning to load 800,000 feet of lumber for the West Indies. King Brothers, agents, expect that the freighter will sail this afternoon.

Mr. E. A. Shanks, of Rithet Consolidated, Ltd., has received advices that Ss. Arabia Maru, of the O.S.K. fleet, will arrive here this afternoon about 4 o'clock to sail for Japan. She will take on eight passengers and forty tons of roofing felt at Victoria.

Mr. A. P. Moffat, local Holland-Amerika Line agent, has received advices that Ss. Eemdyk will arrive here about noon today from the United Kingdom and Europe. For this port she has about 200 tons of general cargo.

C.P.R. Princess Victoria arrived at the wharf yesterday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock, after having been towed from Yarrows, Limited, plant by the ocean-going tug Kyuquot.

The whaler William J. Grant is back at the plant of the Consolidated Corporation, Ltd., after having been overhauled at the V.M.D. The whaler Black is now up for an overhaul.

Ss. Charmer will be released in about a week or ten days after reconditioning, including renewal of several of her bottom plates.

Bound for Vancouver, Ss. Panama passed up at 12:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Ss. Laplacentia passed up to Ioco at 3 o'clock.

The freighter Moveria, Captain Rankin, arrived here at 7 o'clock on Sunday morning from the United Kingdom and sailed for Vancouver at 12:30 o'clock after discharging seventy-five tons of cargo. She took on 20,000 feet of lumber here consigned to Liverpool.

BELGIAN SHIP RUNS AGROUND

DEAL, Eng., March 12.—The Belgian steamer Kabolo, bound for Mombassa from her home port of Antwerp, went aground in a blizzard yesterday near Rye, Kent, but got off without assistance several hours later. She proceeded on her voyage, apparently undamaged.

BEATRICE IS DUE TO BE RELIEVED

Princess Royal Will Go on Inside Passage Route, Calling at Industrial Ports

The Princess Beatrice will be withdrawn from the Vancouver-Ocean Falls-Prince Rupert route at an early date, and will be replaced by the Princess Royal.

The change will be effective on March 28, and the services will be continued weekly, leaving Vancouver at 2 o'clock on Wednesday, reaching Prince Rupert late on Friday, and leaving that port at 10 o'clock that evening for the south, the vessel being due in Vancouver the Monday following, at 7:30 o'clock.

Announcement to this effect was made at the offices of the B.C. Coast Service yesterday.

King Brothers, customs brokers, advise that Ss. Tobiel Maru will arrive here about 7 o'clock this morning to load lumber.

CAPT. DOLLAR SUGGESTS LOCK

Veteran Shipowner Offers Scheme to Stop Heavy Current in Vancouver Lions' Gate

FASTER SHIPS FOR VICTORIA ROUTE

VANCOUVER, March 12.—"The destiny of Vancouver is settled," declared Robert Dollar, veteran steamship operator of the Pacific Coast, as he stepped off the Seattle boat this morning. "It is going to be a great seaport.

"Something must be done, however, to make the harbor safe for the largest ships that sail. Something should be done at Second Narrows. A lock built there, for example, would stop the heavy current in the Lions' Gate and permit any ship to enter safely at any stage of the tide. When it is done you will have a port second to none in the world."

F. A. Haines, vice-president of the American-Oriental Lines, and L. Bates, of the same company, accompanied Mr. Dollar. They are considering expansion of the company's interests here.

Mr. Haines stated that the Dollar Company had already given some indication of its plans by announcing that five of its faster vessels will be placed on the Oriental run out of ports of the North Pacific, including Victoria.

He declared the possibilities of the Oriental trade out of Vancouver are as great as out of any port on the Pacific, and his company intends to take a share in its development.

FISHING VESSEL BURNS IN YARDS AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, March 12.—Fire of unknown origin did considerable damage to the upper works of the fishing boat Nortoneon, owned by E. Tingley, and lying at the Hoffar-Beeching Shipyards, Georgia Street West, early Sunday morning.

Canadian Canners Increase Income

DASHWOOD, Ont., March 12.—The annual report of Canadian Canners, Limited, shows net earnings for 1927 of $557,133, an increase of about twenty per cent over 1926.

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9:00 a.m. (King St. Sta.) "West Coast"	8.35 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
4:30 p.m. (King St. Sta.) "Cascade"	9:00 p.m.	9:45 a.m.*

*(Via Padre).

Two other trains from Portland daily, the "Oregonian" at 9:30 p.m. and the new "Pelican" at 1:00 a.m. Arrival San Francisco 7:30 a.m.

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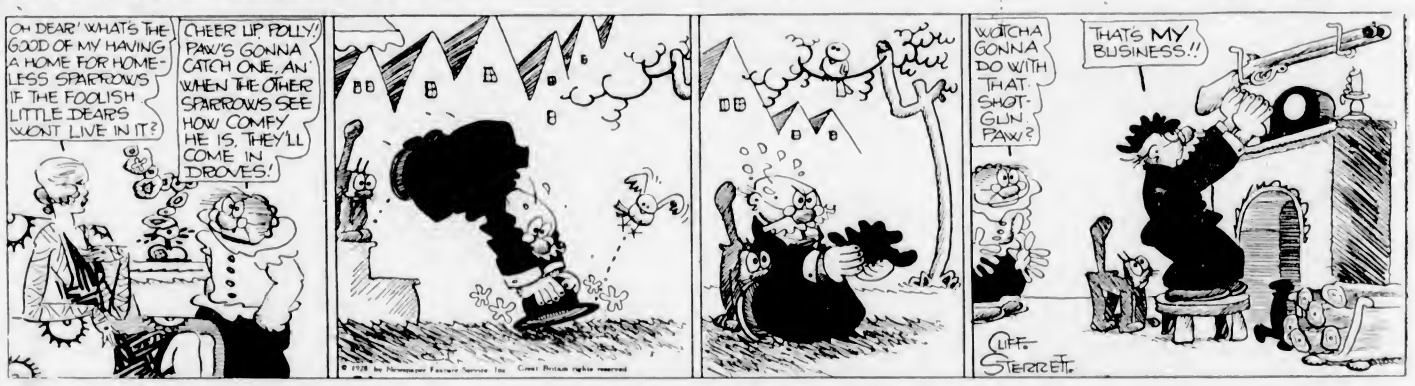
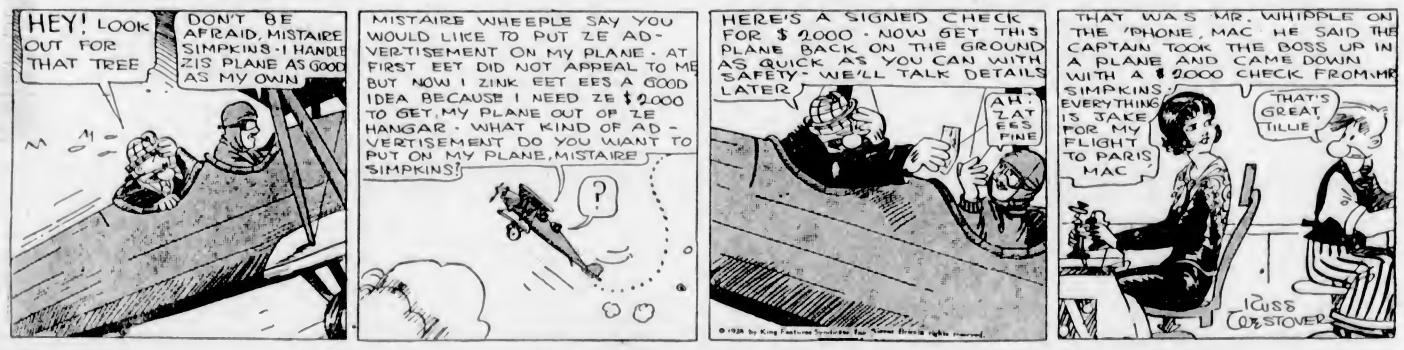


TILLIE THE TOILER

The Boss Didn't Want to "Fall" for It

By Westover



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And It Wouldn't Be for Measles

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A Sad Tale

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

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HAND NO. 83

North: ♠ J 8 ♡ 7 5 4 2 ◇ A J 3 ♣ 9 6 4 2

West: ♠ K 9 6 4 ♡ 8 3 ◇ 10 8 7 5 2 ♣ J 3

East: ♠ 10 7 5 3 2 ♡ K J 9 ◇ 9 6 4 ♣ K 8

South: ♠ A Q ♡ A Q 10 6 ◇ K Q ♣ A Q 10 7 5

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

In the next issue Mr. Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Fill out your own chart and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

NOTE—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trump, "DBL" for double, "REDBL" for redouble.

THE PLAY

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
Total Tricks Won						

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

	Declarer	Opponents
Point Score		
Honor Score		

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid ..... Played by .....

Sunday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 87

S—♠ A 8 5 ♡ Q 10 6 2 ◇ Q J 4 ♣ A Q 10
W—♠ 7 2 ♡ 9 7 4 3 ◇ 8 7 5 ♣ K J 6 2
N—♠ K 4 3 ♡ A 5 ◇ A 10 9 6 2 ♣ 9 7 3
E—♠ Q J 10 9 6 ♡ K J 8 ◇ K 3 ♣ 8 5 4

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1	SA	(S7)	S3	S9	1	
2	(DQ)	D5	D2	DK		1
3	S5	S2	SK	(SQ)	1	
4	DJ	D7	(D6)	D3	1	
5	(H4)	C6	D9	H8	1	
6	H2	H3	(D10)	C4	1	
7	H6	H9	(DA)	C5	1	
8	CA	C2	(C9)	C8	1	
9	(S8)	D8	S4	S10		1
10	C10	HT	C3	(SJ)		1
11	CQ	H9	C7	(S6)		1
12	HQ	CJ	HS	(HJ)	1	
13	(H10)	CK	HA	HK	1	
Total Tricks Won					9	4

	Declarer	Opponents
Point Score	30	
Honor Score	40	

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
1 NT	Pass	Pass	2 S
Pass	Pass	3 D	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Final Bid 3 NT Played by South

Salient Points of the Bidding

South holds too great top strength not to try for game at No Trump after his partner's free bid. Trump after his partner's free bid a bid, when not invited to do so by a double of East's two-Spade bid, must show either a solid Diamond suit (with South's Q J x) or if not solid, then side strength to justify a free bid to encourage South to go on with his No Trump, if holding a stopper in Spades.

Salient Points of the Play

Trick 8. East holds three cards in addition to his Spades. If he has the guarded King of Hearts, as his discard would indicate, he can have but one Club. This is now taken from his hand to prevent him from throwing the lead to West later.

Trick 9. South throws East in the lead.

Trick 12. East is forced to lead away from his King, Jack of Hearts, thus giving North-South two tricks in the suit.

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An irritable old sportsman was aroused from his bed at 3 o'clock in the morning by an insistent ringing of his door bell. On answering it, he was confronted by a man struggling hard to maintain his equilibrium.

"What do you mean by waking me up at this hour?" demanded the sportsman.

"Ish you Mr. Smithers?" asked the other.

"Yes; what of it?"

"Ish you the gent what advertised for a partner to go lion hunt-in' in Africa?"

"Yes, I am the man. What do you want to know about it?"

"Nothing," replied the inebriated one, "'ceptin' I just wanted to teh you that on no condishuns whatsoever will I go with you."

"Weren't you cup up when Clarence jilted you to marry Blanche?" asked Madge.

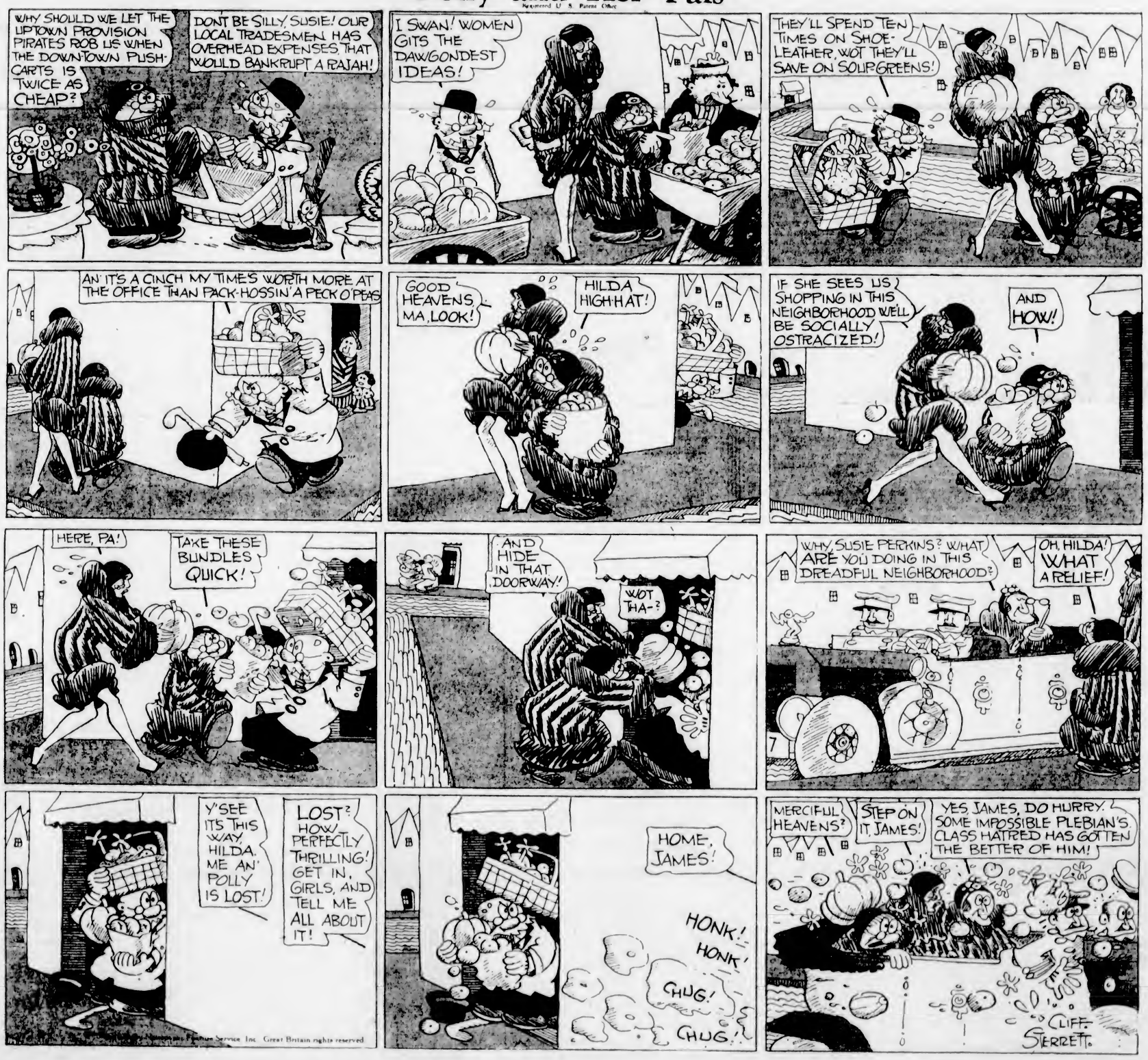
"Yes, but I had my revenge," replied Maud, "I sent the bride a book to read on her honeymoon: 'Stevenson's Travels With a Donkey.'"

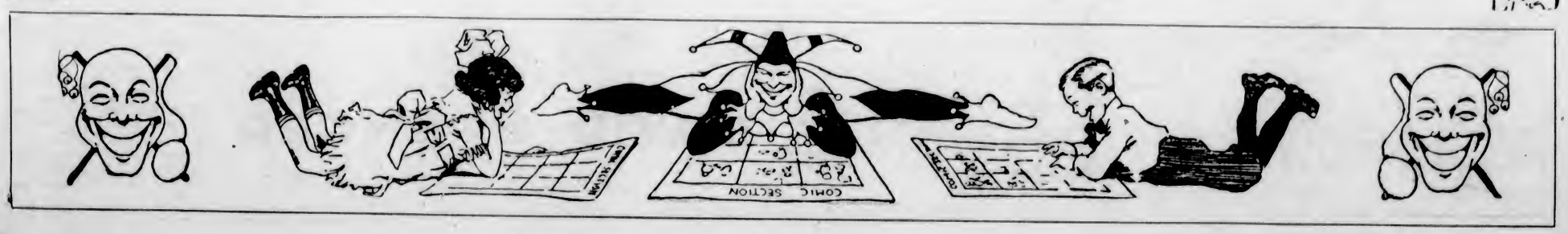
A journalist, writing up the story of gramophones and their structure, asked Edison, the famous inventor, what the first talking machine was made of.

"A rib," answered the great American, briefly.

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE

Polly and Her Pals





National Hockey League Play-Off Dates Are Set

NEW YORK, March 12.—The Board of Governors of the National Hockey League today declined to permit transfer of the franchise of the Pittsburgh Pirates to either New Haven or Philadelphia where separate interests have been dickering for the franchise.

The governors also set the dates for the play-offs for the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the world's professional hockey championship. The second and third place teams, both in Canadian and American divisions, will play a two-game series on March 27 and 29. The total goals scored in the two games will determine the result.

The first game will last the regular sixty minutes, but if the teams are tied at the end of the second game, play will be continued until a decision is reached.

The winners of these games will play a similar series with the teams that finish first in their division at the end of the regular season for the privilege of entering the final series, between the division winners. The dates for these games in the Canadian section will be March 31 and April 3. In the American section, the game will be played April 1, if Sunday hockey is permitted in the city to which it falls, otherwise it will also be played April 3.

The choice of ice for the series between the second and third place teams goes to the team that finishes second. In the second series the first team has the privilege of choosing the place where the games are to be played.

The series between the winners of the division play-offs will be the best three out of five games. The dates set were April 5, 7, 10, 12 and 14.

The first two games will take place on the home ice of the Canadian division winners.

UPLANDS GOLFERS LOSE TO COLWOOD

Home Team Wins First Interclub Match of Year by Margin of Forty-One Points

Colwood's "A" team defeated Uplands in the first interclub match of the year, played at the Colwood Golf and Country Club Sunday. In the singles the home team netted 54 points against the visitors' 34, while in the fourball matches Colwood ran up 41½ points against Uplands' 13½. Colwood won the day's play by 95½ to 54½, a margin of 41 points.

Results, with the Uplands first named in each case, follow:

SINGLES

R. Morrison 1, H. Lineham 2.
H. Brynjolfson 3, G. M. Terry 0.
P. Edmonds 0, F. Thomas 3.
A. C. Falk 1½, A. Christopher 1½.
J. Savident 1, R. J. Darcus 2.
A. V. Price 2½, C. P. W. Schwengers ½.
C. Brynjolfson 0, E. W. Ismay 3.
W. Newcomb 2, C. S. Whiting 1.
R. L. Challoner 1, Geo. Simpson 2.
A. D. Radford 2½, C. I. Mackenzie ½.
C. Morrison 3, A. T. Goward 0.
H. G. Mackenzie ½, J. Graham Graham 2½.
George Pretty 0, J. H. Richardson 3.
General Tuxford 1½, Geo. Straith 1½.
L. Glazen ½, W. W. Hall 2½.
D. Radford ½, F. F. Wilson 2½.
R. Foulis 2½, Dr. Haynes ½.
D. A. Macdonald ½, L. D. Rines 2½.
A. Craig ½, A. Muir 2½.
W. Pomeroy 0, Captain Cumming 3.
H. Mearns 1, Dr. Bryant 2.
O. C. Royle ½, Dr. Geo. Hall 2½.
V. R. Gravlin 3, W. Rasmussen 0.
J. B. Shaw 0, J. H. Stevens 3.
F. C. Dillabough 1, George Wilkinson 2.
D. M. Gordon ½, J. H. Lee 2½.
J. R. Hibberson ½, T. H. Leeming 2½.
H. E. Brown 2, W. Cathcart 1.
J. A. Oddy 1½, J. V. Meston 1½.
A. D. Findlay 2, E. H. Horsey 1.

FOURBALLS

R. Morrison and H. Brynjolfson 2, H. Lineham and G. M. Terry 2.
P. Edmonds and A. C. Falk 2, F. Thomas and A. Christopher 2.
J. Savident and A. V. Price ½, R. J. Darcus and C. P. W. Schwengers 3½.
C. Brynjolfson and W. Newcomb 3½, E. W. Ismay and C. S. Whiting ½.
R. L. Challoner and A. D. Radford 4, George Simpson and C. I. Mackenzie 0.
C. Morrison and H. G. Mackenzie ½, A. T. Goward and J. Graham Graham 3½.
George Pretty and General Tuxford ½, J. H. Richardson and Geo. Straith 3½.
L. Glazen and D. Radford 0, W. W. Hall and F. F. Wilson 4.
R. Foulis and D. A. Macdonald 0, Dr. Haynes and L. D. Rines 4.
A. Craig and W. Pomeroy 0, A. Muir and Captain Cumming 4.
H. Mearns and O. C. Royle ½, Dr. Bryant and Dr. George Hall 3½.
V. R. Gravlin and J. B. Shaw 0, W. Rasmussen and J. H. Stevens 4.
F. C. Dillabough and D. M. Gordon ½, George Wilkinson and J. H. Lee 3½.
J. R. Hibberson and H. E. Brown ½, T. H. Leeming and W. Cathcart 3½.
J. A. Oddy and A. D. Findlay 4, J. V. Meston and E. N. Horsey 0.

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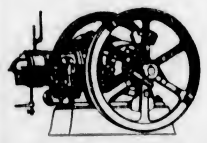

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LOCAL BOXERS MAKE GOOD SHOWING AT FULFORD HARBOR

Charlie Storch, local heavyweight, was given the judges' decision over J. Warner, of Ganges, in the main event of a boxing programme staged at Fulford Harbor Saturday evening. Frank Hall was given the call over Shorty Hughes, of the crew of the Ss. Otter.

Tim Gurney was forced to go an extra round before getting the decision over J. Hamilton, a logger from Fulford. F. Huskman gained the decision over A. Neacock, after three rounds of heavy milling. Red Howard registered a technical K.O. over Andy Wilson when the latter did not answer the gong in the second round.

Tommy Drysdale had little difficulty in outpointing R. Urchart. Cups were presented to the winners following the conclusion of the fights. Jimmy Lyall, sparring partner for Jack Dempsey for his fights against Jack Sharkey and Gene Tunney, made the presentations. H. Bailey, of Victoria, refereed.

Hole-in-One Wins 100-to-1 Wager

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., March 12.—A ninety-five-yard golf shot from the seventeenth tee to the green and into the cup enabled Pat O'Hara, sports manager of the Biltmore Hotel, to collect a 100-to-1 bet yesterday from E. J. Heilman, of New York. The two were playing golf over the La Cumbre course and when they reached the seventeenth tee Heilman bet $10 to a dime that O'Hara could not make the hole in one shot. O'Hara was willing to risk a dime. A perfect shot landed on the green and rolled slowly into the cup.

Nanaimo High Loses

NANAIMO, March 12.—The local Indians football team defeated the local High School "A" team, 3-0, Saturday, in the semi-final of the Paterson Shield football series. By their victory the Indians advance to the finals, meeting the winners of the Quennell-High School "B" tussle.

Uplands Ladies' Golf

Uplands ladies are holding a bogey competition tomorrow, and on Saturday the first round of the Darcus Cup handicap competition will be played. Entries may be made with the secretary.

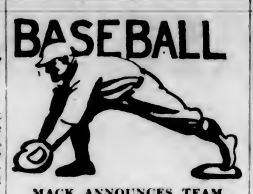
Juveniles to Meet

An important meeting of the Provincial Juvenile Football Association will be held at the Y.M.C.A. tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All teams are asked to be represented.

Football Meeting

A meeting of the Junior Football Council will be held in the Y.M.C.A. tonight at 7.30 o'clock.

BASEBALL



MACK ANNOUNCES TEAM

FORT MYERS, Fla., March 12.—Connie Mack, manager of the Athletics today announced the make-up of his 1928 team, comprising ten pitchers, three catchers, seven infielders and five outfielders.

His outfielders will be Ty Cobb, Tris Speaker, Al Simmons, Bing Miller and Walter French. In addition to these he will keep a string attached to Lebourveau, Haas and Harris.

The infielders to stick are Collins, Hauser, Disher, Halo, Boley, Dukes, and Hassier. Cochrane, Perkins and Fox will hold over as catchers. The pitching sureties are Grove Walberg, Orawell, left-handers, and Ehmke, Quinn, Rommell, Bush and Johnson, right-handers. Two will be chosen from among Powers, Shores, Jonnard, Potter, Daney, Lyons and Blakes.

ROUSCH REPORTS

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 12.—Eddie Rousch, star outfielder of the Giants, has reported for Spring training and notified Manager McGraw that he is eager to get going. The only absent members of the club now are Pitcher Vic Aldridge and Pat Crawford, a minor league infielder.

Charles Barnes, rookie pitcher, and brother of Virgil and Jess Barnes, is the first New York casualty. He was operated on for appendicitis here yesterday.

HOYT DRIFTS IN

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 12.—Seeking an increase in salary and a two-year contract, Pitcher Waite Hoyt has drifted into the Yankee camp to hold parley with Colonel Ruppert in person. Hoyt arrived from Hot Springs and accompanying him were Benny Bengough, the catcher, and Stan Coveleskie, veteran spitball hurler.

At the age of thirty-seven, "Covey" is hopeful of contributing to the success of the Yankees in the coming campaign. He said he was satisfied with the condition of his pitching arm in workouts at home.

GIANTS IN WIN

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 12.—Effective pitching by Ben Cantwell and "Tiny" Chaplin gave the New York Giants a 4-0 victory over Jacksonville, champions of the Southeastern League, in an exhibition game here today.

At Jacksonville—	R.	H.	E.
New York Nationals	4	11	1
Jacksonville	0	5	2

Batteries—Cantwell, Chaplin and Hogan; Barrett, McDee and Johnson, Castro.

YANKEES GO DOWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 12.—Making their first start in an exhibition game this season, the world's champion New York Yanks bowed to the Boston Braves today, 3-1, in a five-inning game cut short by rain.

The Yanks made only two hits off three Brave pitchers. They had filled the bases, however, on three successive walks in the first half of the sixth inning when the game was called. The champions bunched their hits in the fourth inning when a double by Koenig and a single by Ruth scored their lone tally. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
New York Americans	1	2	0
Boston Nationals	3	6	0

Batteries—Pipgrass, Johnson and Collins; Genewich, Edwards Kearn and Taylor.

WILCY'S BROTHER

Nick Moore, younger brother of Wilcy, bears a marked resemblance to the famous rescuer in throwing a ball, and Miller Huggins is wondering if he can make one sink as Wilcy does. Nick also resembles Wilcy above the neck, but he has not been crowding the plate so closely at meal times, the evidence being a much smaller waist line.

If Nick can duplicate Wilcy's record and turn a whole league back in his freshman year, Huggins will advise Colonel Ruppert to put in a blanket draft for all the Moores in Oklahoma.

Wilcy has confided to Nick that the low down on pitching in the American League is nothing more than keeping the pitches down low.

CAN SING IT

Frank Hogan may not be able to play "second base," but he can sing it. The catcher who came to the Giants with Outfielder Welsh in exchange for Hornsby, confessed this fact recently.

A reporter wanted to know if he could sing tenor.

"No," replied Hogan, "second bass."

"Now we know why the Hornsby trade was pulled," put in one of those present.

BACK WITH PIRATES

Burleigh Grimes, spit ball artist, had just returned from a round of his favorite pastime—fox hunting—when he was advised by newspapermen recently that he had been traded to the Pittsburgh Pirates for Vic Aldridge, the "Hoosier school master" of the Pirate's hurling staff.

Grimes said he was glad to get back with the outfit which gave him his first chance in the "big show," because it would bring him nearer home. Minerva, where the pitcher maintains his home, is not far from Pittsburgh.

Asked if he would join the Pirate pitchers when they returned from the Paso Robles, Cal., training camp, Grimes said he did not know, because he had not received his contract. He added, however, that he thought "everything would be O.K."

The Jeff Livingston string of platers earned $58,086 in purses during the 1927 racing season, made up of thirty-two firsts, twenty-four seconds and twenty-eight thirds.

Militia Veteran Dies in Toronto

TORONTO, March 12. — Lieut.-Colonel W. Brown, eighty-one, veteran Canadian militiaman, is dead after an illness of six weeks. A native of Ireland, he came to Canada and joined the Royal Grenadiers in 1862 and the York Rangers later and served in the Northwest Rebellion, 1885.

Spring Styles Graciously Interpreted In the Store of Specialty Shops

Sports and Novelty Gloves

To Complete the Spring Costume

Gloves are a detail that decide a woman's chic! These include Sports and Dress Gloves for smart Spring wear.

Women's Washable Deerskin Gloves for sports wear, in gauntlet style, with pique sewn seams, in natural color ... **$3.50**

Women's Sports Gloves in washable Cape skin, gauntlet style, hand-sewn seams, and in shades of mode, beaver and grey ... **$3.50**

Women's Novelty Kid Gloves in Perrin's make; smart dress gloves with crocodile-trimmed cuffs and two-tone contrasting points in all popular colors ... **$2.50**

Women's Novelty Silk Gloves, with flare and turn-back cuffs, richly embroidered with contrasting colors; two-tone effects; in shades of chateau, patio, hoggar, mist, chalet, black and white ... **$1.50**

Women's Kayser Silk Gloves, regulation wrist length, with two dome fasteners and double finger tips. Neat fitting and in all the newest shades ... **95¢**

—Gloves, Main Floor

VOGUE SHOES

The Latest

Early in the new season this creation is announced by Boyd-Welsh. It is our pleasure to introduce this advance model of the coming shoe mode—a Shoe that accentuates slenderness and trimness in any foot, regardless of size.

This and many other charming models are now on view in our Shoe Department.

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

Rayon Nightgowns $2.25 and $2.50

Rayon Nightgowns in a good quality material, plain tailored style, round neck and no sleeve, in a wide range of pastel colors ... **$2.25**

Rayon Nightgowns with lace trimming or in plain style, square or V necks and in a variety of shades. Regular $3.25, for ... **$2.50**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

New Handbags Smart Women Will Carry for Spring

These are the Bags that the chic woman will choose for her Spring costume—made up in fine leathers and in a variety of shades.

Women's Underarm Handbags in genuine leathers, beautifully lined with moire and fitted with change purse and mirror; in two-tone effects in rich shades of maroon, fawn and orange ... **$8.50**

Women's Imported Pouch Handbags of real leather, mounted on strong metal frames and with two-tone trimmings, neatly lined with poplin in self color, and fitted with change purse and mirror ... **$11.95**

Women's Imported Pouch Handbags in soft kid leather and tortoise-shell frames, beautifully lined with moire and fitted with mirror and change purse; in all fashionable shades ... **$8.50**

—Main Floor

New Spring Frocks

Show Smart Individuality

Frocks whose every line is graceful newness, and new trimming notes that add a touch of jauntiness that makes them distinctive and charming for Spring.

Afternoon and Street Frocks of marocain, Canton and printed silk crepes, two-piece styles that show released pleats in skirt, which accentuates the swathed hipline. A number show the jacket effect, with vestee and neatly pleated jabot.

Other Frocks, in jumper style, show smart color combinations. These have flat necks and embroidered monograms that match suede belts.

Shades include Castilian red and black, rose with white, Chin Chin blue, Copenhagen blue, green, maize, black with white, grey, beige and rust. Sizes 16 to 40—

$25.00 to $45.00

Silks and Satins

In New Shades and Patterns for Spring

36-Inch Figured Silk, in the newest colorings and patterns. Makes up into a most useful and smart dress. Price, per yard ... **$1.98**

38-Inch Crepe Satin, drapes beautifully and has a rich sheen; in Chin Chin blue, black, navy, white, beige, palmetto, powder blue, rose beige and maize. Per yard ... **$2.98**

38-Inch Heavy Silk Georgette, well woven and in a weight suitable for dresses and coats; in black, navy, white, palmetto, sunset, beige, rosewood, mauve, goya rose, pine, rose beige and opera mauve. Per yard ... **$2.98**

35-Inch Jacquard Satin, a novelty satin in suitable designs for coats, etc.; black and navy. Per yard ... **$1.98**

36-Inch Silk Broadcloth that will wear and launder splendidly; in ivory, Chin Chin blue, rose, ecru, mauve, grey, Nile, yellow, brown and red. Per yard ... **$1.98**

—Silks, Main Floor

Springtime Brings Dainty Frocks for the Little Miss of 6 to 8 Years

For the little girl we have a display of neatly designed Frocks of Silk Broadcloth, trimmed with smocking. Most excellent quality and finely finished. Sizes for the ages of 6 to 8 years, **$7.95** and ... **$9.75**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Silk and Wool Cardigans for Little Maidens

English-Made Cardigans of silk and wool, in many Spring shades, combinations of begonia, cherry, helio, etc. Very dressy and cosy for little girls aged 4 to 7 years.

$7.95

—Children's, 1st Floor

Smart Ensembles

Take a Place of Prominence in the Field of Fashion

The ensemble will play a leading part in the fashion apparel this season; and those we show of kasha, bengaline and very fine wool serge are unusually attractive.

Coats are three-quarter or full length, with stand-up collar, shawl or scarf effects. The two-piece dresses to match have wrap-around or pleated skirts, with hip length jumpers of self materials and plain and novelty silks. In attractive shades of rose dawn, beige, natural kasha, green and black with white hairline.

$49.75 to $75.00

—Mantle Dept

Millinery for Springtime Occasions

Two-material Hats play a prominent part this season. Visca and belting, felt and faille are popular combinations of fabrics, and ribbon is the favorite garniture for both.

This most interesting design, here reproduced, is not ultra new, but jaunty and becoming—just the thing for Spring wear; in all colors and black,

$4.95 to $8.95

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Cardigans of Silk and Wool

Direct From Scotland

Among the new styles that have arrived on the tide of fashion are these dressy Cardigans, two-tone effects or plain shades of silk and wool, novelty patterns and low-fitting styles ... **$7.50**

—1st Floor

Flowers for All Occasions

The costume, whether it be suit, frock or coat, should wear a new Spring flower. Gardenias, Parma violets, apple blossoms and yellow asters are popular and very colorful ... **95¢** to **$1.95**

—Main Floor

Beautiful Silk Scarves

To complete the Spring costume a colorful Georgette Scarf is very desirable. We show a wonderful selection of these in a great range of shades ... **$1.98** and **$2.98**

—Main Floor

Women's Fine Silk Hosiery

In Smart Styles and Shades

Kayser Chiffon Silk Hose, with the new twin heel, full fashioned, sheer quality, silk to the top, in shades of rose taupe, sonata, Arab and patio. Per pair ... **$3.50**

Kayser Pure Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, square heel, silk to the top and in all the newest shades. Per pair ... **$2.50**

Rainbow Pure Thread Silk Hose, service weight, square heel, silk to the top, full fashioned and in all popular shades. Per pair **$2.50**

—Women's Hosiery, Main Floor

Wool Fabrics for Spring Dresses

54-Inch Flannel, good quality, in navy, powder blue, Copenhagen and fawn. Makes a most economical dress. Per yard ... **$1.29**

54-Inch Wool Georgette, in black, navy, Peking blue, beige, grey and turquoise. An ideal fabric for dresses. Per yard ... **$2.98**

54-Inch English Tweed, in a beautiful quality and light shade. Per yard ... **$3.98**

54-Inch Satin-Back Duvetyn, a delightfully soft fabric for coats, in white, Copenhagen and beige. Per yard ... **$7.95**

—Main Floor

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